

House Amendment to Senate Amendment to
House File 645

S-3379

1 Amend the Senate amendment, H-1731, to House File
2 645, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the House, as
3 follows:

4 1. By striking page 1, line 5, through page 41,
5 line 16, and inserting:

6 <DIVISION I
7 FY 2011-2012
8 DEPARTMENT FOR THE BLIND

9 Section 1. ADMINISTRATION. There is appropriated
10 from the general fund of the state to the department
11 for the blind for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
12 2011, and ending June 30, 2012, the following amount,
13 or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
14 purposes designated:

15 1. For salaries, support, maintenance,
16 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
17 following full-time equivalent positions:
18 \$ 1,691,815
19 FTEs 88.00
20 2. For costs associated with universal access to
21 audio information over the phone on demand for blind
22 and print handicapped Iowans:

23 \$ 50,000
24 COLLEGE STUDENT AID COMMISSION

25 Sec. 2. There is appropriated from the general fund
26 of the state to the college student aid commission for
27 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June
28 30, 2012, the following amounts, or so much thereof as
29 is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

30 1. GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

31 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
32 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
33 equivalent positions:

34 \$ 232,943
35 FTEs 3.95

36 2. STUDENT AID PROGRAMS

37 For payments to students for the Iowa grant program
38 established in section 261.93:

39 \$ 791,177

40 3. DES MOINES UNIVERSITY — HEALTH CARE

41 PROFESSIONAL RECRUITMENT PROGRAM

42 For forgivable loans to Iowa students attending Des
43 Moines university — osteopathic medical center under
44 the forgivable loan program pursuant to section 261.19:

45 \$ 325,973

46 4. NATIONAL GUARD EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

47 For purposes of providing national guard educational
48 assistance under the program established in section
49 261.86:

50 \$ 3,186,233

1 5. TEACHER SHORTAGE LOAN FORGIVENESS PROGRAM For
2 the teacher shortage loan forgiveness program
3 established in section 261.112:
4 \$ 392,452
5 6. ALL IOWA OPPORTUNITY FOSTER CARE GRANT PROGRAM
6 For purposes of the all Iowa opportunity foster care
7 grant program established pursuant to section 261.6:
8 \$ 554,057
9 7. ALL IOWA OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
10 a. For purposes of the all Iowa opportunity
11 scholarship program established pursuant to section
12 261.87:
13 \$ 2,240,854
14 b. If the moneys appropriated by the general
15 assembly to the college student aid commission for
16 fiscal year 2011-2012 for purposes of the all Iowa
17 opportunity scholarship program exceed \$500,000,
18 "eligible institution" as defined in section 261.87,
19 shall, during fiscal year 2011-2012, include accredited
20 private institutions as defined in section 261.9,
21 subsection 1.
22 8. REGISTERED NURSE AND NURSE EDUCATOR LOAN
23 FORGIVENESS PROGRAM
24 a. For purposes of the registered nurse and nurse
25 educator loan forgiveness program established pursuant
26 to section 261.23:
27 \$ 80,852
28 b. It is the intent of the general assembly that
29 the commission continue to consider moneys allocated
30 pursuant to this subsection as moneys that meet the
31 state matching funds requirements of the federal
32 leveraging educational assistance program and the
33 federal supplemental leveraging educational assistance
34 program established under the Higher Education Act of
35 1965, as amended.
36 9. BARBER AND COSMETOLOGY ARTS AND SCIENCES TUITION
37 GRANT PROGRAM
38 For purposes of the barber and cosmetology arts and
39 sciences tuition grant program established pursuant to
40 section 261.18:
41 \$ 36,938
42 Sec. 3. CHIROPRACTIC LOAN FUNDS. Notwithstanding
43 section 261.72, the moneys deposited in the
44 chiropractic loan revolving fund created pursuant
45 to section 261.72 may be used for purposes of the
46 chiropractic loan forgiveness program established in
47 section 261.73.
48 Sec. 4. WORK-STUDY APPROPRIATION FOR FY
49 2011-2012. Notwithstanding section 261.85, for the
50 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June 30,

1 2012, the amount appropriated from the general fund of
2 the state to the college student aid commission for the
3 work-study program under section 261.85 shall be zero.

4 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

5 Sec. 5. There is appropriated from the general fund
6 of the state to the department of education for the
7 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June 30,
8 2012, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is
9 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

10 1. GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

11 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
12 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
13 equivalent positions:

14 \$ 5,913,812
15 FTEs 81.67

16 2. VOCATIONAL EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION

17 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
18 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
19 equivalent positions:

20 \$ 449,276
21 FTEs 11.50

22 3. VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION SERVICES DIVISION

23 a. For salaries, support, maintenance,
24 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
25 following full-time equivalent positions:

26 \$ 4,963,168
27 FTEs 255.00

28 b. For matching funds for programs to enable
29 persons with severe physical or mental disabilities to
30 function more independently, including salaries and
31 support, and for not more than the following full-time
32 equivalent position:

33 \$ 39,128
34 FTEs 1.00

35 c. For the entrepreneurs with disabilities program
36 established pursuant to section 259.4, subsection 9:

37 \$ 145,535

38 d. For costs associated with centers for
39 independent living:

40 \$ 40,294

41 4. STATE LIBRARY

42 a. For salaries, support, maintenance,
43 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
44 following full-time equivalent positions:

45 \$ 1,209,619
46 FTEs 17.00

47 b. For the enrich Iowa program established under
48 section 256.57:

49 \$ 1,674,227

50 5. LIBRARY SERVICE AREA SYSTEM

1 For state aid:
 2 \$ 1,005,444
 3 6. PUBLIC BROADCASTING DIVISION
 4 For salaries, support, maintenance, capital
 5 expenditures, miscellaneous purposes, and for not more
 6 than the following full-time equivalent positions:
 7 \$ 6,654,021
 8 FTEs 82.00
 9 7. REGIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COUNCILS
 10 For state aid:
 11 \$ 992,913
 12 The regional telecommunications councils established
 13 in section 8D.5 shall use the moneys appropriated in
 14 this subsection to provide technical assistance for
 15 network classrooms, planning and troubleshooting for
 16 local area networks, scheduling of video sites, and
 17 other related support activities.
 18 8. VOCATIONAL EDUCATION TO SECONDARY SCHOOLS
 19 For reimbursement for vocational education
 20 expenditures made by secondary schools:
 21 \$ 2,630,134
 22 Moneys appropriated in this subsection shall be used
 23 to reimburse school districts for vocational education
 24 expenditures made by secondary schools to meet the
 25 standards set in sections 256.11, 258.4, and 260C.14.
 26 9. SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE
 27 For use as state matching funds for federal
 28 programs that shall be disbursed according to federal
 29 regulations, including salaries, support, maintenance,
 30 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
 31 following full-time equivalent positions:
 32 \$ 2,176,797
 33 FTEs 20.58
 34 10. EARLY CHILDHOOD IOWA FUND — GENERAL AID
 35 For deposit in the school ready children grants
 36 account of the early childhood Iowa fund created in
 37 section 256I.11:
 38 \$ 5,386,113
 39 a. From the moneys deposited in the school ready
 40 children grants account for the fiscal year beginning
 41 July 1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2012, not more than
 42 \$265,950 is allocated for the early childhood Iowa
 43 office and other technical assistance activities. The
 44 early childhood Iowa state board shall direct staff to
 45 work with the early childhood stakeholders alliance
 46 created in section 256I.12 to inventory technical
 47 assistance needs. Moneys allocated under this lettered
 48 paragraph may be used by the early childhood Iowa state
 49 board for the purpose of skills development and support
 50 for ongoing training of staff. However, except as

1 otherwise provided in this subsection, moneys shall not
2 be used for additional staff or for the reimbursement
3 of staff.

4 b. As a condition of receiving moneys appropriated
5 in this subsection, each early childhood Iowa area
6 board shall report to the early childhood Iowa state
7 board progress on each of the local indicators approved
8 by the area board. Each early childhood Iowa area
9 board must also submit an annual budget for the area's
10 comprehensive school ready children grant developed for
11 providing services for children from birth through five
12 years of age, and provide other information specified
13 by the early childhood Iowa state board, including
14 budget amendments as needed. The early childhood Iowa
15 state board shall establish a submission deadline for
16 the annual budget and any budget amendments that allow
17 a reasonable period of time for preparation by the
18 early childhood Iowa area boards and for review and
19 approval or request for modification of the materials
20 by the early childhood Iowa state board. In addition,
21 each early childhood Iowa area board must continue to
22 comply with reporting provisions and other requirements
23 adopted by the early childhood Iowa state board in
24 implementing section 256I.9.

25 c. Of the amount appropriated in this subsection
26 for deposit in the school ready children grants account
27 of the early childhood Iowa fund, \$2,318,018 shall
28 be used for efforts to improve the quality of early
29 care, health, and education programs. Moneys allocated
30 pursuant to this paragraph may be used for additional
31 staff and for the reimbursement of staff. The early
32 childhood Iowa state board may reserve a portion of the
33 allocation, not to exceed \$88,650, for the technical
34 assistance expenses of the early childhood Iowa state
35 office, including the reimbursement of staff, and
36 shall distribute the remainder to early childhood Iowa
37 areas for local quality improvement efforts through
38 a methodology identified by the early childhood Iowa
39 state board to make the most productive use of the
40 funding, which may include use of the distribution
41 formula, grants, or other means.

42 d. Of the amount appropriated in this subsection
43 for deposit in the school ready children grants account
44 of the early childhood Iowa fund, \$825,030 shall
45 be used for support of professional development and
46 training activities for persons working in early care,
47 health, and education by the early childhood Iowa
48 state board in collaboration with the professional
49 development component group of the early childhood
50 Iowa stakeholders alliance maintained pursuant to

1 section 256I.12, subsection 7, paragraph "b", and the
2 early childhood Iowa area boards. Expenditures shall
3 be limited to professional development and training
4 activities agreed upon by the parties participating in
5 the collaboration.

6 11. EARLY CHILDHOOD IOWA FUND — PRESCHOOL TUITION
7 ASSISTANCE

8 a. For deposit in the school ready children grants
9 account of the early childhood Iowa fund created in
10 section 256I.11:

11 \$ 5,428,877

12 b. The amount appropriated in this subsection shall
13 be used for early care, health, and education programs
14 to assist low-income parents with tuition for preschool
15 and other supportive services for children ages three,
16 four, and five who are not attending kindergarten in
17 order to increase the basic family income eligibility
18 requirement to not more than 200 percent of the federal
19 poverty level. In addition, if sufficient funding is
20 available after addressing the needs of those who meet
21 the basic income eligibility requirement, an early
22 childhood Iowa area board may provide for eligibility
23 for those with a family income in excess of the basic
24 income eligibility requirement through use of a sliding
25 scale or other copayment provisions.

26 12. EARLY CHILDHOOD IOWA FUND — FAMILY SUPPORT AND
27 PARENT EDUCATION

28 a. For deposit in the school ready children grants
29 account of the early childhood Iowa fund created in
30 section 256I.11:

31 \$ 12,364,434

32 b. The amount appropriated in this subsection
33 shall be used for family support services and parent
34 education programs targeted to families expecting a
35 child or with newborn and infant children through age
36 five and shall be distributed using the distribution
37 formula approved by the early childhood Iowa state
38 board and shall be used by an early childhood Iowa
39 area board only for family support services and parent
40 education programs targeted to families expecting a
41 child or with newborn and infant children through age
42 five.

43 13. BIRTH TO AGE THREE SERVICES

44 For expansion of the federal Individuals with
45 Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004, Pub.
46 L. No. 108-446, as amended to January 1, 2011, birth
47 through age three services due to increased numbers of
48 children qualifying for those services:

49 \$ 1,721,400

50 From the moneys appropriated in this subsection,

1 \$383,769 shall be allocated to the child health
2 specialty clinic at the state university of Iowa to
3 provide additional support for infants and toddlers
4 who are born prematurely, drug-exposed, or medically
5 fragile.

6 14. TEXTBOOKS OF NONPUBLIC SCHOOL PUPILS
7 To provide moneys for costs of providing textbooks
8 to each resident pupil who attends a nonpublic school
9 as authorized by section 301.1:

10 \$ 560,214
11 Funding under this subsection is limited to \$20 per
12 pupil and shall not exceed the comparable services
13 offered to resident public school pupils.

14 15. CORE CURRICULUM AND CAREER INFORMATION AND
15 DECISION-MAKING SYSTEM
16 For purposes of implementing the statewide core
17 curriculum for school districts and accredited
18 nonpublic schools and a state-designated career
19 information and decision-making system:

20 \$ 1,000,000
21 16. STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AND TEACHER QUALITY PROGRAM
22 For purposes of the student achievement and teacher
23 quality program established pursuant to chapter
24 284, and for not more than the following full-time
25 equivalent positions:

26 \$ 4,785,000
27 FTEs 2.00

28 17. JOBS FOR AMERICA'S GRADUATES
29 For school districts to provide direct services to
30 the most at-risk senior high school students enrolled
31 in school districts through direct intervention by a
32 jobs for America's graduates specialist:

33 \$ 40,000

34 18. COMMUNITY COLLEGES
35 a. For general state financial aid to merged
36 areas as defined in section 260C.2 in accordance with
37 chapters 258 and 260C:

38 \$163,774,647
39 Notwithstanding the allocation formula in section
40 260C.18C, the funds appropriated in this subsection
41 shall be allocated as follows:

42 (1) Merged Area I..... \$ 8,164,628
43 (2) Merged Area II..... \$ 8,653,675
44 (3) Merged Area III..... \$ 7,965,666
45 (4) Merged Area IV..... \$ 3,913,107
46 (5) Merged Area V..... \$ 9,010,347
47 (6) Merged Area VI..... \$ 7,621,843
48 (7) Merged Area VII..... \$ 11,387,434
49 (8) Merged Area IX..... \$ 14,181,538
50 (9) Merged Area X..... \$ 25,053,587

1 (10) Merged Area XI..... \$ 25,338,428
2 (11) Merged Area XII..... \$ 9,291,308
3 (12) Merged Area XIII..... \$ 9,595,296
4 (13) Merged Area XIV..... \$ 3,975,456
5 (14) Merged Area XV..... \$ 12,456,924
6 (15) Merged Area XVI..... \$ 7,165,410

7 b. For distribution to community colleges to
8 supplement faculty salaries:
9 \$ 500,000

10 c. For deposit in the workforce training and
11 economic development funds created pursuant to section
12 260C.18A:
13 \$ 5,000,000

14 Sec. 6. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TRANSFERS. There
15 is transferred between the following designated
16 appropriations made to the department of education for
17 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, and ending June
18 30, 2011, not more than the following amounts:

19 From the appropriation made for purposes of the
20 student achievement and teacher quality program in 2010
21 Iowa Acts, chapter 1183, section 6, subsection 18, as
22 follows:

23 1. To the appropriation made for purposes of
24 vocational education administration in 2010 Iowa Acts,
25 chapter 1183, section 6, subsection 2:

26 \$ 110,521

27 2. To the appropriation made for purposes of
28 vocational education to secondary schools in 2010 Iowa
29 Acts, chapter 1183, section 6, subsection 8:

30 \$ 39,458

31 3. To the appropriation made for purposes of school
32 food service in 2010 Iowa Acts, chapter 1183, section
33 6, subsection 9:

34 \$ 55,739

35 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys transferred
36 pursuant to this section by the department of education
37 that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of
38 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, and ending June
39 30, 2011, shall not revert but shall remain available
40 for expenditure for the purposes designated until the
41 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

42 STATE BOARD OF REGENTS

43 Sec. 7. There is appropriated from the general fund
44 of the state to the state board of regents for the
45 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June 30,
46 2012, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is
47 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

48 1. OFFICE OF STATE BOARD OF REGENTS

49 a. For salaries, support, maintenance,
50 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the

1 following full-time equivalent positions:
2 \$ 1,065,005
3 FTEs 15.00
4 The state board of regents shall submit a monthly
5 financial report in a format agreed upon by the state
6 board of regents office and the legislative services
7 agency.
8 b. For moneys to be allocated to the southwest Iowa
9 graduate studies center:
10 \$ 87,471
11 c. For moneys to be allocated to the siouxland
12 interstate metropolitan planning council for the
13 tristate graduate center under section 262.9,
14 subsection 22:
15 \$ 66,601
16 d. For moneys to be allocated to the quad-cities
17 graduate studies center:
18 \$ 129,776
19 e. For moneys to be distributed to Iowa public
20 radio for public radio operations:
21 \$ 391,568
22 2. STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA
23 a. General university, including lakeside
24 laboratory
25 For salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
26 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
27 following full-time equivalent positions:
28 \$209,737,311
29 FTEs 5,058.55
30 b. Oakdale campus
31 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
32 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
33 equivalent positions:
34 \$ 2,186,558
35 FTEs 38.25
36 c. State hygienic laboratory
37 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
38 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
39 equivalent positions:
40 \$ 3,536,716
41 FTEs 102.50
42 d. Family practice program
43 For allocation by the dean of the college of
44 medicine, with approval of the advisory board, to
45 qualified participants to carry out the provisions
46 of chapter 148D for the family practice program,
47 including salaries and support, and for not more than
48 the following full-time equivalent positions:
49 \$ 1,788,265
50 FTEs 190.40

1 e. Child health care services
2 For specialized child health care services,
3 including childhood cancer diagnostic and treatment
4 network programs, rural comprehensive care for
5 hemophilia patients, and the Iowa high-risk infant
6 follow-up program, including salaries and support, and
7 for not more than the following full-time equivalent
8 positions:
9 \$ 659,456
10 FTEs 57.97

11 f. Statewide cancer registry
12 For the statewide cancer registry, and for not more
13 than the following full-time equivalent positions:
14 \$ 149,051
15 FTEs 2.10

16 g. Substance abuse consortium
17 For moneys to be allocated to the Iowa consortium
18 for substance abuse research and evaluation, and
19 for not more than the following full-time equivalent
20 position:
21 \$ 55,529
22 FTEs 1.00

23 h. Center for biocatalysis
24 For the center for biocatalysis, and for not more
25 than the following full-time equivalent positions:
26 \$ 723,727
27 FTEs 6.28

28 i. Primary health care initiative
29 For the primary health care initiative in the
30 college of medicine, and for not more than the
31 following full-time equivalent positions:
32 \$ 648,930
33 FTEs 5.89

34 From the moneys appropriated in this lettered
35 paragraph, \$254,889 shall be allocated to the
36 department of family practice at the state university
37 of Iowa college of medicine for family practice faculty
38 and support staff.

39 j. Birth defects registry
40 For the birth defects registry, and for not more
41 than the following full-time equivalent position:
42 \$ 38,288
43 FTEs 1.00

44 k. Larned A. Waterman Iowa nonprofit resource
45 center
46 For the Larned A. Waterman Iowa nonprofit resource
47 center, and for not more than the following full-time
48 equivalent positions:
49 \$ 162,539
50 FTEs 2.75

1 1. Iowa online advanced placement academy science,
2 technology, engineering, and mathematics initiative
3 For the establishment of the Iowa online advanced
4 placement academy science, technology, engineering, and
5 mathematics initiative:
6 \$ 481,849
7 3. IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
8 a. General university
9 For salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
10 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
11 following full-time equivalent positions:
12 \$164,345,198
13 FTEs 3,647.42
14 b. Agricultural experiment station
15 For the agricultural experiment station salaries,
16 support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes, and
17 for not more than the following full-time equivalent
18 positions:
19 \$ 28,111,877
20 FTEs 546.98
21 c. Cooperative extension service in agriculture and
22 home economics
23 For the cooperative extension service in agriculture
24 and home economics salaries, support, maintenance,
25 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
26 following full-time equivalent positions:
27 \$ 17,936,722
28 FTEs 383.34
29 d. Leopold center
30 For agricultural research grants at Iowa state
31 university of science and technology under section
32 266.39B, and for not more than the following full-time
33 equivalent positions:
34 \$ 397,417
35 FTEs 11.25
36 e. Livestock disease research
37 For deposit in and the use of the livestock disease
38 research fund under section 267.8:
39 \$ 172,845
40 4. UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA
41 a. General university
42 For salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
43 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
44 following full-time equivalent positions:
45 \$ 74,734,586
46 FTEs 1,447.50
47 b. Recycling and reuse center
48 For purposes of the recycling and reuse center, and
49 for not more than the following full-time equivalent
50 positions:

1 \$ 175,256
2 FTEs 3.00
3 c. Science, technology, engineering, and
4 mathematics (STEM) collaborative initiative
5 For purposes of establishing a science, technology,
6 engineering, and mathematics (STEM) collaborative
7 initiative, and for not more than the following
8 full-time equivalent positions:
9 \$ 1,734,656
10 FTEs 6.20
11 (1) From the moneys appropriated in this lettered
12 paragraph, up to \$282,000 shall be allocated for
13 salaries, staffing, and institutional support. The
14 remainder of the moneys appropriated in this lettered
15 paragraph shall be expended only to support activities
16 directly related to recruitment of kindergarten
17 through grade 12 mathematics and science teachers and
18 for ongoing mathematics and science programming for
19 students enrolled in kindergarten through grade 12.
20 (2) The university of northern Iowa shall work with
21 the community colleges to develop STEM professional
22 development programs for community college instructors
23 and STEM curriculum development.
24 d. Real estate education program
25 For purposes of the real estate education program,
26 and for not more than the following full-time
27 equivalent position:
28 \$ 125,302
29 FTEs 1.00
30 5. STATE SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF
31 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
32 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
33 equivalent positions:
34 \$ 8,679,964
35 FTEs 126.60
36 6. IOWA BRAILLE AND SIGHT SAVING SCHOOL
37 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
38 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
39 equivalent positions:
40 \$ 3,618,931
41 FTEs 62.87
42 7. TUITION AND TRANSPORTATION COSTS
43 For payment to local school boards for the tuition
44 and transportation costs of students residing in the
45 Iowa braille and sight saving school and the state
46 school for the deaf pursuant to section 262.43 and
47 for payment of certain clothing, prescription, and
48 transportation costs for students at these schools
49 pursuant to section 270.5:
50 \$ 11,763

1 8. LICENSED CLASSROOM TEACHERS

2 For distribution at the Iowa braille and sight
3 saving school and the Iowa school for the deaf based
4 upon the average yearly enrollment at each school as
5 determined by the state board of regents:

6 \$ 82,049

7 Sec. 8. ENERGY COST-SAVINGS PROJECTS —

8 FINANCING. For the fiscal year beginning July 1,
9 2011, and ending June 30, 2012, the state board of
10 regents may use notes, bonds, or other evidences of
11 indebtedness issued under section 262.48 to finance
12 projects that will result in energy cost savings in an
13 amount that will cause the state board to recover the
14 cost of the projects within an average of six years.

15 Sec. 9. PRESCRIPTION DRUG COSTS. Notwithstanding
16 section 270.7, the department of administrative
17 services shall pay the state school for the deaf and
18 the Iowa braille and sight saving school the moneys
19 collected from the counties during the fiscal year
20 beginning July 1, 2011, for expenses relating to
21 prescription drug costs for students attending the
22 state school for the deaf and the Iowa braille and
23 sight saving school.

24 Sec. 10. Section 256I.9, subsection 2, Code 2011,
25 is amended to read as follows:

26 2. The state board shall provide maximum
27 flexibility to grantees for the use of the grant
28 moneys included in a school ready children grant,
29 including but not limited to authorizing an area board
30 to use grant moneys to pay for regular audits required
31 pursuant to section 256I.5, subsection 1, if moneys
32 distributed to an area board for administrative costs
33 are insufficient to pay for the required audits.

34 Sec. 11. Section 256I.9, subsection 3, paragraph b,
35 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

36 b. Family support services and parent education
37 programs promoted to parents of children from zero
38 through age five. Family support services shall
39 include but are not limited to home visitation. Of
40 the state funding from all sources that an area board
41 designates for family support programs, at least sixty
42 percent shall be committed to programs with a home
43 visitation component.

44 It is the intent of the general assembly that
45 priority for home visitation program funding be given
46 to programs using evidence-based or promising models
47 for home visitation.

48 Sec. 12. Section 261.19, Code 2011, is amended to
49 read as follows:

50 **261.19 Osteopathic physician Health care**

1 professional recruitment program.

2 1. A physician health care professional recruitment
3 program is established, to be administered by the
4 college student aid commission, for Des Moines
5 university — ~~osteopathic medical center.~~ The
6 program shall consist of a ~~forgivable loan program~~
7 ~~and a tuition scholarship program for students and~~
8 a loan repayment program for physicians health care
9 professionals. The commission shall regularly adjust
10 the ~~physician~~ service requirement under each aspect
11 of the program to provide, to the extent possible,
12 an equal financial benefit for each period of service
13 required.

14 2. ~~a. Notwithstanding the administration~~
15 ~~provisions of subsection 1, the forgivable loan~~
16 ~~program established pursuant to subsection 1 shall be~~
17 ~~administered by the commission in conjunction with Des~~
18 ~~Moines university — osteopathic medical center. Des~~
19 ~~Moines university — osteopathic medical center shall~~
20 ~~match on an equal basis state aid appropriated for~~
21 ~~purposes of the forgivable loan program.~~

22 ~~b. Des Moines university — osteopathic medical~~
23 ~~center shall provide recommendations to the commission~~
24 ~~for students who meet the eligibility requirements of~~
25 ~~the forgivable loan program. A forgivable loan may~~
26 ~~be awarded to a resident of Iowa who is enrolled at~~
27 ~~Des Moines university — osteopathic medical center~~
28 ~~if the student agrees to practice in this state for~~
29 ~~a period of time to be determined by the commission~~
30 ~~at the time the loan is awarded. Forgivable loans to~~
31 ~~eligible students shall not become due until after the~~
32 ~~student completes a residency program. Interest on~~
33 ~~the loans shall begin to accrue the day following the~~
34 ~~student's graduation date. If the student completes~~
35 ~~the period of practice established by the commission~~
36 ~~and agreed to by the student, the loan amount shall~~
37 ~~be forgiven. The loan amount shall not be forgiven~~
38 ~~if the osteopathic physician fails to complete the~~
39 ~~required time period of practice in this state or fails~~
40 ~~to satisfactorily continue in the university's program~~
41 ~~of medical education.~~

42 3. ~~A student enrolled at Des Moines university~~
43 ~~— osteopathic medical center shall be eligible for~~
44 ~~a tuition scholarship for the student's study at the~~
45 ~~university. The scholarship shall be for an amount~~
46 ~~not to exceed the annual tuition at the university. A~~
47 ~~student who receives a tuition scholarship shall not~~
48 ~~be eligible for the loan repayment program provided~~
49 ~~for by this section. A student who receives a tuition~~
50 ~~scholarship shall agree to practice in an eligible~~

1 rural community in this state for a period of time
2 to be determined by the commission at the time the
3 scholarship is awarded. The student shall repay the
4 scholarship to the commission if the student fails to
5 practice in a medically underserved rural community in
6 this state for the required period of time.

7 4. A physician health care professional shall be
8 eligible for the physician loan repayment program
9 if the physician health care professional agrees
10 to practice in an eligible rural community in this
11 state. Des Moines university — osteopathic medical
12 center shall recruit and place physicians health
13 care professionals in rural communities which have
14 agreed to provide additional funds for the physician's
15 recipient's loan repayment. The contract for the
16 loan repayment shall stipulate the time period the
17 physician recipient shall practice in an eligible rural
18 community in this state. In addition, the contract
19 shall stipulate that the physician recipient repay any
20 funds paid on the physician's recipient's loan by the
21 commission if the physician recipient fails to practice
22 in an eligible rural community in this state for the
23 required period of time.

24 3. A health care professional recruitment revolving
25 fund is created in the state treasury as a separate
26 fund under the control of the commission. The
27 commission shall deposit payments made by health care
28 professional recruitment program recipients and the
29 proceeds from the sale of osteopathic loans awarded
30 pursuant to section 261.19, subsection 2, paragraph
31 "b", Code 2011, into the health care professional
32 recruitment revolving fund. Moneys credited to the
33 fund shall be used to supplement moneys appropriated
34 for the health care professional recruitment program,
35 for loan repayment in accordance with this section,
36 and to pay for loan or interest repayment defaults by
37 program recipients. Notwithstanding section 8.33, any
38 balance in the fund on June 30 of any fiscal year shall
39 not revert to the general fund of the state.

40 4. For purposes of this subsection, "eligible
41 section:

42 a. "Eligible rural community" means a medically
43 underserved rural community which agrees to match
44 state funds provided on at least a dollar-for-dollar
45 basis for the loan repayment of a physician health care
46 professional who practices in the community.

47 b. "Health care professional" means a physician,
48 physician assistant, podiatrist, or physical therapist.

49 5. The commission shall adopt rules pursuant to
50 chapter 17A to administer this section.

1 Sec. 13. Section 261.25, subsections 1, 2, and 3,
2 Code 2011, are amended to read as follows:

3 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of
4 the state to the commission for each fiscal year the
5 sum of ~~forty-four~~ forty-three million five hundred
6 thirteen thousand four hundred forty-eight dollars for
7 tuition grants.

8 2. There is appropriated from the general fund
9 of the state to the commission for each fiscal year
10 the sum of four million ~~six hundred fifty thousand~~
11 ~~four hundred eighty-seven~~ dollars for tuition grants
12 for students attending for-profit accredited private
13 institutions located in Iowa. A for-profit institution
14 which, effective March 9, 2005, or effective January
15 8, 2010, purchased an accredited private institution
16 that was exempt from taxation under section 501(c)
17 of the Internal Revenue Code, shall be an eligible
18 institution under the tuition grant program. For
19 purposes of the tuition grant program, "*for-profit*
20 *accredited private institution*" means an accredited
21 private institution which is not exempt from taxation
22 under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code
23 but which otherwise meets the requirements of section
24 261.9, subsection 1, paragraph "b", and whose students
25 were eligible to receive tuition grants in the fiscal
26 year beginning July 1, 2003.

27 3. There is appropriated from the general fund of
28 the state to the commission for each fiscal year the
29 sum of two million ~~four~~ two hundred ~~thirteen~~ fifty
30 thousand ~~nine~~ one hundred ~~fifty-nine~~ eighty-five
31 dollars for vocational-technical tuition grants.

32 Sec. 14. Section 261E.3, subsection 1, paragraph e,
33 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

34 e. The student shall have demonstrated proficiency
35 in reading, mathematics, and science as evidenced by
36 achievement scores on the latest administration of
37 the state assessment for which scores are available
38 and as defined by the department. However, a student
39 receiving competent private instruction under chapter
40 299A may demonstrate proficiency by submitting the
41 written recommendation of the licensed practitioner
42 providing supervision to the student in accordance
43 with section 299A.2; may demonstrate proficiency
44 as evidenced by achievement scores on the annual
45 achievement evaluation required under section 299A.4;
46 or may demonstrate proficiency as evidenced by a
47 selection index, which is the sum of the critical
48 reading, mathematics, and writing skills assessments,
49 of at least one hundred forty-one on the preliminary
50 scholastic aptitude test administered by the college

1 board; a composite score of at least twenty-one on
2 the college readiness assessment administered by ACT,
3 inc.; or a sum of the critical reading and mathematics
4 scores of at least nine hundred ninety on the college
5 readiness assessment administered by the college board.
6 If a student is not proficient in one or more of the
7 content areas listed in this paragraph, has not taken
8 the college readiness assessments identified in this
9 paragraph, or has not achieved the scores specified
10 in this paragraph, the school board may establish
11 alternative but equivalent qualifying performance
12 measures including but not limited to additional
13 administrations of the state assessment, portfolios
14 of student work, student performance rubric, or
15 end-of-course assessments.

16 Sec. 15. Section 261E.9, subsections 1 through 3,
17 Code 2011, are amended to read as follows:

18 1. a. A regional academy is a program established
19 by a school district to which multiple school districts
20 send students in grades ~~nine~~ seven through twelve,
21 and which may include internet-based coursework
22 and courses delivered via the Iowa communications
23 network. A regional academy shall include in its
24 curriculum advanced level courses and may include
25 in its curriculum career and technical courses. A
26 school district establishing a regional academy may
27 collaborate and partner with, enter into an agreement
28 pursuant to chapter 28E with, or enter into a contract
29 with, one or more school districts, area education
30 agencies, community colleges, accredited public
31 and private postsecondary institutions, accredited
32 nonpublic schools, businesses, and private agencies
33 located within or outside of the state.

34 b. The purpose of a regional academy established
35 pursuant to this section shall be to build a culture
36 of innovation for students and community, to diversify
37 educational and economic opportunities by engaging in
38 learning experiences that involve students in complex,
39 real-world projects, and to develop regional or global
40 innovation networks.

41 c. If a school district establishing a regional
42 academy in accordance with this section submits a plan
43 to the department for approval that demonstrates how
44 the regional academy will increase and assess student
45 achievement or increase and assess competency-based
46 learning opportunities for students, the department may
47 waive or modify any statutory or regulatory provision
48 applicable to school districts except the department
49 shall not waive or modify any statutory or regulatory
50 provision relating to requirements applicable to school

1 districts under chapters 11, 21, 22, 216, 216A, 256B,
2 279, 284, and 285; or relating to contracts with and
3 discharge of teachers and administrators under chapters
4 20 and 279; or relating to audit requirements under
5 section 256.9, subsection 20, and section 279.29.

6 2. a. A regional academy course shall not qualify
7 as a concurrent enrollment course include in its
8 curriculum advanced level courses.

9 b. A regional academy may include in its curriculum
10 virtual or internet-based coursework and courses
11 delivered via the Iowa communications network, career
12 and technical courses, core curriculum coursework,
13 courses required pursuant to section 256.7, subsection
14 26, or section 256.11, subsections 4 and 5, and
15 asynchronous learning networks.

16 3. School districts participating in regional
17 academies are eligible for supplementary weighting as
18 provided in section 257.11, subsection 2. The school
19 districts participating in the regional academy shall
20 enter into an agreement on how the funding generated
21 by the supplementary weighting received shall be used
22 and shall submit the agreement to the department for
23 approval.

24 Sec. 16. Section 262.13, Code 2011, is amended to
25 read as follows:

26 **262.13 Security Peace officers at institutions as**
27 **peace officers.**

28 The board may authorize any institution under its
29 control to commission one or more of its employees
30 as ~~special security~~ peace officers. ~~Special security~~
31 ~~officers~~ Such officers shall have the same powers,
32 duties, privileges, and immunities of as conferred on
33 regular peace officers when acting in the interests
34 of the institution by which they are employed. The
35 board shall provide as rapidly as practicable for the
36 adequate training and certification of such special
37 security peace officers at the Iowa law enforcement
38 academy or in an equivalent at a law enforcement
39 training program school approved by the academy, unless
40 they have the peace officers are already received such
41 training certified by the Iowa law enforcement academy
42 or by an approved law enforcement training school.

43 Sec. 17. Section 263.8A, Code 2011, is amended to
44 read as follows:

45 **263.8A International center for talented and gifted**
46 **education — Iowa online advanced placement academy**
47 **science, technology, engineering, and mathematics**
48 **initiative.**

49 1. a. The state board of regents shall establish
50 and maintain at Iowa City as an integral part of the

1 state university of Iowa the international center for
2 talented and gifted education. The international
3 center shall provide programs to assist classroom
4 teachers to teach gifted and talented students in
5 regular classrooms, provide programs to enhance the
6 learning experiences of gifted and talented students,
7 serve as a center for national and international
8 symposiums and policy forums for enhancing the teaching
9 of gifted and talented students, and undertake other
10 appropriate activities to enhance the programs of the
11 center, including, but not limited to, coordinating and
12 working with the world council for gifted and talented
13 children, incorporated.

14 b. An international center endowment fund is
15 established at the state university of Iowa and gifts
16 and grants to the international center and investment
17 earnings and returns on the endowment fund shall be
18 deposited in the fund and may be expended by the state
19 university of Iowa for the purposes for which the
20 international center was established.

21 2. The Iowa online advanced placement academy
22 science, technology, engineering, and mathematics
23 initiative is established within the international
24 center for talented and gifted education at the state
25 university of Iowa to deliver, with an emphasis on
26 science, technology, engineering, and mathematics
27 coursework, preadvanced placement and advanced
28 placement courses to high school students throughout
29 the state, provide training opportunities for teachers
30 to learn how to teach advanced placement courses in
31 Iowa's high schools, and provide preparation for middle
32 school students to ensure success in high school.

33 Sec. 18. Section 279.51, subsection 2, Code 2011,
34 is amended to read as follows:

35 2. a. Funds allocated under subsection 1,
36 paragraph "b", shall be used by the child development
37 coordinating council for the following:

38 ~~a.~~ (1) To continue funding for programs previously
39 funded by grants awarded under section 256A.3 and to
40 provide additional grants under section 256A.3. The
41 council shall seek to provide grants on the basis of
42 the location within the state of children meeting
43 at-risk definitions.

44 ~~b.~~ (2) At the discretion of the child development
45 coordinating council, award grants for the following:

46 (1) (a) To school districts to establish programs
47 for three-year-old, four-year-old, and five-year-old
48 at-risk children which are a combination of preschool
49 and full-day kindergarten.

50 (2) (b) To provide grants to provide educational

1 support services to parents of at-risk children age
2 birth through three years.

3 b. A grantee under this subsection may direct the
4 use of moneys received to serve any qualifying child
5 ranging in age from three years old to five years old,
6 regardless of the age of population indicated on the
7 grant request in its initial year of application. A
8 grantee is encouraged to consider the degree to which
9 the program complements existing programs and services
10 for three-year-old, four-year-old, and five-year-old
11 at-risk children available in the area, including other
12 child care and preschool services, services provided
13 through a school district, and services available
14 through an area education agency.

15 Sec. 19. Section 284.13, subsection 1, paragraphs a
16 through d, Code 2011, are amended to read as follows:

17 a. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010 2011,
18 and ending June 30, 2011 2012, to the department of
19 education, the amount of nine six hundred sixty-four
20 eighty-five thousand dollars for the issuance of
21 national board certification awards in accordance
22 with section 256.44. Of the amount allocated under
23 this paragraph, not less than seventy-six eighty-five
24 thousand five hundred dollars shall be used to
25 administer the ambassador to education position in
26 accordance with section 256.45.

27 b. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010 2011,
28 and succeeding fiscal years ending June 30, 2012, an
29 amount up to four two million one three hundred seven
30 ninety-five thousand two hundred forty one hundred
31 fifty-seven dollars for first-year and second-year
32 beginning teachers, to the department of education for
33 distribution to school districts and area education
34 agencies for purposes of the beginning teacher
35 mentoring and induction programs. A school district or
36 area education agency shall receive one thousand three
37 hundred dollars per beginning teacher participating in
38 the program. If the funds appropriated for the program
39 are insufficient to pay mentors, school districts, and
40 area education agencies as provided in this paragraph,
41 the department shall prorate the amount distributed
42 to school districts and area education agencies based
43 upon the amount appropriated. Moneys received by a
44 school district or area education agency pursuant to
45 this paragraph shall be expended to provide each mentor
46 with an award of five hundred dollars per semester, at
47 a minimum, for participation in the school district's
48 or area education agency's beginning teacher mentoring
49 and induction program; to implement the plan; and to
50 pay any applicable costs of the employer's share of

1 contributions to federal social security and the Iowa
2 public employees' retirement system or a pension and
3 annuity retirement system established under chapter
4 294, for such amounts paid by the district or area
5 education agency.

6 c. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010
7 2011, and ending June 30, 2011 2012, up to six hundred
8 ~~thirteen thousand eight hundred seventy-eight~~ dollars
9 to the department for purposes of implementing the
10 professional development program requirements of
11 section 284.6, assistance in developing model evidence
12 for teacher quality committees established pursuant
13 to section 284.4, subsection 1, paragraph "c", and
14 the evaluator training program in section 284.10.
15 A portion of the funds allocated to the department
16 for purposes of this paragraph may be used by the
17 department for administrative purposes and for not more
18 than four full-time equivalent positions.

19 d. For ~~each the~~ fiscal year in which funds are
20 ~~appropriated for purposes of this chapter beginning~~
21 July 1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2012, an amount up to
22 one million six one hundred twenty-nine four thousand
23 six eight hundred forty-seven forty-three dollars
24 to the department for the establishment of teacher
25 development academies in accordance with section 284.6,
26 subsection 10. A portion of the funds allocated to the
27 department for purposes of this paragraph may be used
28 for administrative purposes.

29 Sec. 20. Section 298.3, subsection 1, paragraph c,
30 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

31 c. The purchase, lease, or lease-purchase of a
32 ~~single unit of~~ equipment or technology exceeding five
33 hundred dollars in value per unit purchase, lease,
34 or lease-purchase transaction. Each transaction may
35 include multiple equipment or technology units.

36 Sec. 21. Section 299A.2, Code 2011, is amended to
37 read as follows:

38 **299A.2 Competent private instruction by licensed**
39 **practitioner.**

40 If a licensed practitioner provides competent
41 instruction to a school-age child of compulsory
42 ~~attendance age~~, the practitioner shall possess a
43 valid license or certificate which has been issued
44 by the state board of educational examiners under
45 chapter 272 and which is appropriate to the ages and
46 grade levels of the children to be taught. Competent
47 private instruction may include, but is not limited
48 to, a home school assistance program which provides
49 instruction or instructional supervision offered
50 through an accredited nonpublic school or public

1 school district by a teacher, who is employed by the
2 accredited nonpublic school or public school district,
3 who assists and supervises a parent, guardian, or legal
4 custodian in providing instruction to a child. If
5 competent private instruction is provided through a
6 public school district, the child shall be enrolled and
7 included in the basic enrollment of the school district
8 as provided in section 257.6. Sections 299A.3 through
9 299A.7 do not apply to competent private instruction
10 provided by a licensed practitioner under this section.
11 However, the reporting requirement contained in section
12 299A.3, subsection 1, shall apply to competent private
13 instruction provided by licensed practitioners that is
14 not part of a home school assistance program offered
15 through an accredited nonpublic school or public school
16 district.

17 Sec. 22. Section 299A.8, Code 2011, is amended to
18 read as follows:

19 **299A.8 Dual enrollment.**

20 If a parent, guardian, or legal custodian of a
21 school-age child who is receiving competent private
22 ~~instruction under this chapter or a child over~~
23 ~~compulsory age who is receiving private instruction~~
24 submits a request, the child shall also be registered
25 in a public school for dual enrollment purposes. If
26 the child is enrolled in a public school district for
27 dual enrollment purposes, the child shall be permitted
28 to participate in any academic activities in the
29 district and shall also be permitted to participate
30 on the same basis as public school children in any
31 extracurricular activities available to children in
32 the child's grade or group, and the parent, guardian,
33 or legal custodian shall not be required to pay the
34 costs of any annual evaluation under this chapter. If
35 the child is enrolled for dual enrollment purposes,
36 the child shall be included in the public school's
37 basic enrollment under section 257.6. A pupil who is
38 participating only in extracurricular activities shall
39 be counted under section 257.6, subsection 1, paragraph
40 "a", subparagraph (6). A pupil enrolled in grades nine
41 through twelve under this section shall be counted in
42 the same manner as a shared-time pupil under section
43 257.6, subsection 1, paragraph "a", subparagraph (3).

44 Sec. 23. Section 299A.12, subsection 1, Code 2011,
45 is amended to read as follows:

46 1. The board of directors of a school district ~~may~~
47 shall expend moneys received pursuant to section 257.6,
48 subsection 1, paragraph "a", subparagraph (5), for
49 purposes of providing a home school assistance program.

50 Sec. 24. Section 299A.12, subsection 2, paragraphs

1 a and b, Code 2011, are amended to read as follows:
2 a. Assisting Instruction for students and assisting
3 parents with instruction.
4 b. Student Support services for students and
5 teaching-parent support services teaching parents and
6 staff support services.
7 Sec. 25. Section 299A.12, subsection 2, paragraph
8 g, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2011, is amended to
9 read as follows:
10 Resources, materials, computer software and
11 hardware, and supplies, and purchased services that
12 meet the following criteria:
13 Sec. 26. Section 299A.12, subsection 3, paragraphs
14 b, c, e, and f, Code 2011, are amended to read as
15 follows:
16 b. Operational or maintenance costs in addition
17 to the cost of maintaining school district facilities
18 other than those necessary to operate and maintain the
19 program.
20 c. Capital expenditures other than equipment or
21 facility acquisition, including the lease or rental of
22 space to supplement existing schoolhouse facilities.
23 e. Administrative costs other than the costs
24 necessary to administer the program.
25 f. Concurrent and dual enrollment program costs and
26 postsecondary enrollment options program costs.
27 Sec. 27. REPEAL. Section 261.19B, Code 2011, is
28 repealed.
29 Sec. 28. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT AND RETROACTIVE
30 APPLICABILITY. The section of this Act transferring
31 moneys appropriated pursuant to 2010 Iowa Acts,
32 chapter 1183, section 6, subsection 18, being deemed of
33 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment, and
34 if approved by the governor on or after July 1, 2011,
35 shall apply retroactively to June 30, 2011.
36 Sec. 29. EFFECTIVE DATE AND APPLICABILITY. The
37 section of this division of this Act amending section
38 261E.9, subsections 1 through 3, takes effect July 1,
39 2012, and is applicable to school years beginning on or
40 after July 1, 2012.
41 Sec. 30. APPLICABILITY. The section of this
42 division of this Act that amends section 298.3 applies
43 to school budget years beginning on or after July 1,
44 2011.
45 Sec. 31. RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY. The sections
46 of this Act amending sections 299A.2 and 299A.8 apply
47 retroactively to the base year beginning July 1, 2009.
48 DIVISION II
49 MIDWESTERN HIGHER EDUCATION COMPACT
50 FY 2010-2011, FY 2011-2012, AND FY 2012-2013

1 Sec. 32. There is appropriated from the general
2 fund of the state to the department of education for
3 the following fiscal years, the following amounts, or
4 so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
5 purposes designated:
6 To be distributed to the midwestern higher education
7 compact to pay Iowa's member state annual obligation:
8 FY 2010-2011..... \$ 39,000
9 FY 2011-2012..... \$ 100,000
10 FY 2012-2013..... \$ 50,000
11 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated
12 in this section, to the department of education
13 for purposes of paying Iowa's member state annual
14 obligation under the midwestern higher education
15 compact, that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
16 close of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, and
17 ending June 30, 2011, shall not revert but shall remain
18 available for expenditure for the purpose designated
19 until the close of the succeeding fiscal year.
20 Sec. 33. REPEAL. Section 261D.4, Code 2011, is
21 repealed.
22 Sec. 34. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT AND RETROACTIVE
23 APPLICABILITY. This division of this Act, being deemed
24 of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment,
25 and if approved by the governor on or after July 1,
26 2011, shall apply retroactively to June 30, 2011.
27 DIVISION III
28 LIBRARY PROVISIONS
29 Sec. 35. Section 8A.454, subsection 2, Code 2011,
30 is amended to read as follows:
31 2. A monthly per contract administrative charge
32 shall be assessed by the department on all health
33 insurance plans administered by the department in which
34 the contract holder has a state employer to pay the
35 charge. The amount of the administrative charge shall
36 be established by the general assembly. The department
37 shall collect the administrative charge from each
38 department utilizing the centralized payroll system and
39 shall deposit the proceeds in the fund. In addition,
40 the state board of regents, ~~all library service~~
41 ~~areas~~, the state fair board, the state department of
42 transportation, and each judicial district department
43 of correctional services shall remit the administrative
44 charge on a monthly basis to the department and shall
45 submit a report to the department containing the number
46 and type of health insurance contracts held by each of
47 its employees whose health insurance is administered by
48 the department.
49 Sec. 36. Section 8D.2, subsection 5, paragraph a,
50 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

1 *a. "Public agency"* means a state agency, an
2 institution under the control of the board of regents,
3 the judicial branch as provided in section 8D.13,
4 subsection 16, a school corporation, a city library,
5 ~~a library service area as provided in chapter 256,~~
6 a county library as provided in chapter 336, or a
7 judicial district department of correctional services
8 established in section 905.2, to the extent provided in
9 section 8D.13, subsection 14, an agency of the federal
10 government, or a United States post office which
11 receives a federal grant for pilot and demonstration
12 projects.

13 Sec. 37. Section 8D.9, subsection 1, Code 2011, is
14 amended to read as follows:

15 1. A private or public agency, other than a state
16 agency, local school district or nonpublic school, city
17 library, ~~library service area,~~ county library, judicial
18 branch, judicial district department of correctional
19 services, agency of the federal government, a hospital
20 or physician clinic, or a post office authorized to be
21 offered access pursuant to this chapter as of May 18,
22 1994, shall certify to the commission no later than
23 July 1, 1994, that the agency is a part of or intends
24 to become a part of the network. Upon receiving such
25 certification from an agency not a part of the network
26 on May 18, 1994, the commission shall provide for the
27 connection of such agency as soon as practical. An
28 agency which does not certify to the commission that
29 the agency is a part of or intends to become a part of
30 the network as required by this subsection shall be
31 prohibited from using the network.

32 Sec. 38. Section 8D.11, subsection 4, Code 2011, is
33 amended to read as follows:

34 4. A political subdivision receiving communications
35 services from the state as of April 1, 1986, may
36 continue to do so but communications services shall
37 not be provided or resold to additional political
38 subdivisions other than a school corporation, a city
39 library, ~~a library service area as provided in chapter~~
40 ~~256,~~ and a county library as provided in chapter 336.
41 The rates charged to the political subdivision shall be
42 the same as the rates charged to state agencies.

43 Sec. 39. Section 12C.1, subsection 1, Code 2011, is
44 amended to read as follows:

45 1. All funds held by the following officers
46 or institutions shall be deposited in one or more
47 depositories first approved by the appropriate
48 governing body as indicated: for the treasurer of
49 state, by the executive council; for judicial officers
50 and court employees, by the supreme court; for the

1 county treasurer, recorder, auditor, and sheriff, by
2 the board of supervisors; for the city treasurer or
3 other designated financial officer of a city, by the
4 city council; for the county public hospital or merged
5 area hospital, by the board of hospital trustees;
6 for a memorial hospital, by the memorial hospital
7 commission; for a school corporation, by the board
8 of school directors; for a city utility or combined
9 utility system established under chapter 388, by the
10 utility board; ~~for a library service area established~~
11 ~~under chapter 256, by the library service area board of~~
12 ~~trustees,~~ and for an electric power agency as defined
13 in section 28F.2 or 390.9, by the governing body of the
14 electric power agency. However, the treasurer of state
15 and the treasurer of each political subdivision or the
16 designated financial officer of a city shall invest
17 all funds not needed for current operating expenses in
18 time certificates of deposit in approved depositories
19 pursuant to this chapter or in investments permitted by
20 section 12B.10. The list of public depositories and
21 the amounts severally deposited in the depositories
22 are matters of public record. This subsection does
23 not limit the definition of "public funds" contained
24 in subsection 2. Notwithstanding provisions of this
25 section to the contrary, public funds of a state
26 government deferred compensation plan established
27 by the executive council may also be invested in the
28 investment products authorized under section 509A.12.

29 Sec. 40. Section 218.22, Code 2011, is amended to
30 read as follows:

31 **218.22 Record privileged.**

32 Except with the consent of the administrator in
33 charge of an institution, or on an order of a court of
34 record, the record provided in section 218.21 shall be
35 accessible only to the administrator of the division
36 of the department of human services in control of
37 such institution, the director of the department of
38 human services and to assistants and proper clerks
39 authorized by such administrator or the administrator's
40 director. The administrator of the division of such
41 institution is authorized to permit the division of
42 ~~libraries and information~~ library services of the
43 department of education and the historical division of
44 the department of cultural affairs to copy or reproduce
45 by any photographic, photostatic, microfilm, microcard
46 or other process which accurately reproduces a durable
47 medium for reproducing the original and to destroy in
48 the manner described by law such records of residents
49 designated in section 218.21.

50 Sec. 41. Section 256.7, unnumbered paragraph 1,

1 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:
2 Except for the college student aid commission,
3 the commission of libraries and division of library
4 services, and the public broadcasting board and
5 division, the state board shall:
6 Sec. 42. Section 256.7, subsection 17, Code 2011,
7 is amended to read as follows:
8 17. Receive and review the budget and unified plan
9 of service submitted by the division of ~~libraries and~~
10 information library services.
11 Sec. 43. Section 256.9, unnumbered paragraph 1,
12 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:
13 Except for the college student aid commission,
14 the commission of libraries and division of library
15 services, and the public broadcasting board and
16 division, the director shall:
17 Sec. 44. Section 256.50, subsection 2, Code 2011,
18 is amended to read as follows:
19 2. "*Division*" means the division of ~~libraries and~~
20 information library services of the department of
21 education.
22 Sec. 45. Section 256.51, subsection 1, unnumbered
23 paragraph 1, Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:
24 The division of ~~libraries and information library~~
25 services is established within attached to the
26 department of education for administrative purposes.
27 The state librarian shall be responsible for the
28 division's budgeting and related management functions
29 in accordance with section 256.52, subsection 3. The
30 division shall do all of the following:
31 Sec. 46. Section 256.51, subsection 1, Code 2011,
32 is amended by adding the following new paragraphs:
33 NEW PARAGRAPH. 0a. Provide support services to
34 libraries, including but not limited to consulting,
35 continuing education, interlibrary loan services, and
36 references services to assure consistency of service
37 statewide and to encourage local financial support for
38 library services.
39 NEW PARAGRAPH. 1. Allow a public library that
40 receives state assistance under section 256.57, or
41 financial support from a city or county pursuant
42 to section 256.69, to dispose of, through sale,
43 conveyance, or exchange, any library materials that may
44 be obsolete or worn out or that may no longer be needed
45 or appropriate to the mission of the public library.
46 These materials may be sold by the public library
47 directly or the governing body of the public library
48 may sell the materials by consignment to a public
49 agency or to a private agency organized to raise funds
50 solely for support of the public library. Proceeds

1 from the sale of the library materials may be remitted
2 to the public library and may be used by the public
3 library for the purchase of books and other library
4 materials or equipment, or for the provision of library
5 services.

6 Sec. 47. Section 256.51, subsection 1, paragraph d,
7 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

8 d. Develop, in consultation with the library
9 ~~service areas and the area education agency media~~
10 ~~centers, a biennial unified plan of service and service~~
11 ~~delivery for the division of libraries and information~~
12 library services.

13 Sec. 48. Section 256.51, subsection 1, paragraph j,
14 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

15 j. Establish and administer standards for state
16 ~~agency libraries, the library service areas, and public~~
17 ~~libraries.~~

18 Sec. 49. Section 256.51, subsection 1, paragraph k,
19 Code 2011, is amended by striking the paragraph.

20 Sec. 50. Section 256.51, subsection 2, paragraph c,
21 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

22 c. Accept gifts, contributions, bequests,
23 endowments, or other moneys, including but not limited
24 to the Westgate endowment fund, for any or all purposes
25 of the division. Interest earned on moneys accepted
26 under this paragraph shall be credited to the fund
27 or funds to which the gifts, contributions, bequests,
28 endowments, or other moneys have been deposited, and
29 is available for any or all purposes of the division.
30 The division shall report annually to the director
31 commission and the general assembly regarding the
32 gifts, contributions, bequests, endowments, or other
33 moneys accepted pursuant to this paragraph and the
34 interest earned on them.

35 Sec. 51. Section 256.52, subsection 1, Code 2011,
36 is amended to read as follows:

37 1. a. The state commission of libraries consists
38 of one member appointed by the supreme court, the
39 director of the department of education, or the
40 director's designee, and six the following seven
41 members who shall be appointed by the governor to serve
42 four-year terms beginning and ending as provided in
43 section 69.19. The governor's appointees shall

44 (1) Two members shall be employed in the state as
45 public librarians.

46 (2) One member shall be a public library trustee.

47 (3) One member shall be employed in this state as
48 an academic librarian.

49 (4) One member shall be employed as a librarian by
50 a school district or area education agency.

1 (5) Two members shall be selected at large.
2 ~~b.~~ The members shall be reimbursed for their actual
3 expenditures necessitated by their official duties.
4 Members may also be eligible for compensation as
5 provided in section 7E.6.
6 Sec. 52. Section 256.52, subsection 3, paragraph
7 b, subparagraphs (1) and (4), Code 2011, are amended
8 to read as follows:
9 ~~(1) Direct and organize the activities of Organize,~~
10 ~~staff, and administer the division so as to render the~~
11 ~~greatest benefit to libraries in the state.~~
12 (4) Appoint and approve the technical,
13 professional, ~~excepting the law librarian,~~ secretarial,
14 and clerical staff necessary to accomplish the purposes
15 of the division subject to chapter 8A, subchapter IV.
16 Sec. 53. Section 256.52, subsection 3, paragraph
17 b, Code 2011, is amended by adding the following new
18 subparagraph:
19 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (4A) (a) Assume all of the
20 outstanding obligations of the library service
21 areas and be liable for and recognize, assume, and
22 carry out all valid contracts and obligations of the
23 library service areas that are consolidated under the
24 commission and administered by the division effective
25 beginning July 1, 2011. Each library service area
26 shall transfer, prior to July 1, 2011, its state-funded
27 assets and title to any state-funded real estate owned
28 by the library service area to the state librarian. In
29 the event that the remaining assets and liabilities
30 cannot be transferred to the state librarian, the board
31 of directors of a library service area shall liquidate
32 all assets, settle existing liabilities, and transfer
33 remaining moneys to the general fund of the state. In
34 addition, all fund balances from appropriations of
35 state funds allocated to the library service areas
36 remaining unobligated and unencumbered on the date of
37 the transfer shall be transferred to the general fund
38 of the state.
39 (b) This subparagraph is repealed July 1, 2015.
40 Sec. 54. Section 256.52, subsection 5, Code 2011,
41 is amended to read as follows:
42 5. The commission shall receive and approve the
43 budget and unified plan of service submitted by the
44 ~~division of libraries and information services.~~
45 Sec. 55. Section 256.54, subsection 1, Code 2011,
46 is amended to read as follows:
47 1. The state library includes but is not limited
48 to ~~a law library~~ the library support network, the
49 specialized library services unit, and the state data
50 center. The law library shall be under the direction

1 of the specialized library services unit.

2 Sec. 56. Section 256.54, subsection 2, unnumbered
3 paragraph 1, Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

4 The law library shall be administered by a law
5 librarian appointed by the ~~director~~ state librarian
6 subject to chapter 8A, subchapter IV, who shall do all
7 of the following:

8 Sec. 57. Section 256.55, unnumbered paragraph 1,
9 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

10 A state data center is established in the ~~department~~
11 ~~of education division~~. The state data center shall be
12 administered by the state data center coordinator, who
13 shall do all of the following:

14 Sec. 58. NEW SECTION. **256.58 Library support**
15 **network.**

16 1. A library support network is established in the
17 division to offer services and programs for libraries,
18 including but not limited to individualized, locally
19 delivered consulting and training, and to facilitate
20 resource sharing and innovation through the use of
21 technology, administer enrich Iowa programs, advocate
22 for libraries, promote excellence and innovation in
23 library services, encourage governmental subdivisions
24 to provide local financial support for local libraries,
25 and ensure the consistent availability of quality
26 service to all libraries throughout the state,
27 regardless of location or size.

28 2. The organizational structure to deliver library
29 support network services shall include district
30 offices. The district offices shall serve as a basis
31 for providing field services to local libraries in the
32 counties comprising the district. The division shall
33 determine which counties are served by each district
34 office. The number of district offices established to
35 provide services pursuant to this section shall be six.

36 Sec. 59. NEW SECTION. **256.59 Specialized library**
37 **services.**

38 The specialized library services unit is established
39 in the division to provide information services to the
40 three branches of state government and to offer focused
41 information services to the general public in the areas
42 of Iowa law, Iowa state documents, and Iowa history and
43 culture.

44 Sec. 60. NEW SECTION. **256.62 Library services**
45 **advisory panel.**

46 1. The state librarian shall convene a library
47 services advisory panel to advise and recommend to
48 the commission and the division evidence-based best
49 practices, to assist the commission and division to
50 determine service priorities and launch programs,

1 articulate the needs and interests of Iowa librarians,
2 and share research and professional development
3 information.

4 2. The library services advisory panel shall
5 consist of no fewer than eleven members representing
6 libraries of all sizes and types, and various
7 population levels and geographic regions of the
8 state. A simple majority of the members appointed
9 shall be appointed by the executive board of the Iowa
10 library association and the remaining members shall be
11 appointed by the state librarian. Terms of members
12 shall begin and end as provided in section 69.19. Any
13 vacancy shall be filled in the same manner as regular
14 appointments are made for the unexpired portion of the
15 regular term. Members shall serve four-year terms
16 which are staggered at the discretion of the state
17 librarian. A member is eligible for reappointment for
18 three successive terms. The members shall elect a
19 chairperson annually.

20 3. The library services advisory panel shall
21 meet at least twice annually and shall submit its
22 recommendations in a report to the commission and the
23 state librarian at least once annually. The report
24 shall be timely submitted to allow for consideration
25 of the recommendations prior to program planning and
26 budgeting for the following fiscal year.

27 4. Members of the library services advisory panel
28 shall receive actual and necessary expenses incurred
29 in the performance of their duties. Expenses shall
30 be paid from funds appropriated to the department for
31 purposes of the division.

32 Sec. 61. Section 256.70, unnumbered paragraph 1,
33 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

34 The division of ~~libraries and information~~ library
35 services of the department of education is hereby
36 authorized to enter into interstate library compacts on
37 behalf of the state of Iowa with any state bordering on
38 Iowa which legally joins therein in substantially the
39 following form and the contracting states agree that:

40 Sec. 62. Section 256.71, Code 2011, is amended to
41 read as follows:

42 **256.71 Administrator.**

43 The administrator of the division of ~~libraries and~~
44 ~~information~~ library services shall be the compact
45 administrator. The compact administrator shall
46 receive copies of all agreements entered into by the
47 state or its political subdivisions and other states
48 or political subdivisions; consult with, advise and
49 aid such governmental units in the formulation of
50 such agreements; make such recommendations to the

1 governor, legislature, governmental agencies and units
2 as the administrator deems desirable to effectuate the
3 purposes of this compact and consult and ~~co-operate~~
4 cooperate with the compact administrators of other
5 party states.

6 Sec. 63. Section 273.2, subsection 4, Code 2011, is
7 amended to read as follows:

8 4. The area education agency board shall provide
9 for special education services and media services
10 for the local school districts in the area and shall
11 encourage and assist school districts in the area to
12 establish programs for gifted and talented children.
13 The board shall assist in facilitating interlibrary
14 loans of materials between school districts and other
15 libraries. ~~Each area education agency shall include~~
16 ~~as a member of its media center advisory committee a~~
17 ~~library service area trustee or library service area~~
18 ~~staff member, who is appointed to the committee by the~~
19 ~~commission of libraries.~~

20 Sec. 64. Section 669.2, subsection 5, Code 2011, is
21 amended to read as follows:

22 5. "*State agency*" includes all executive
23 departments, agencies, boards, bureaus, and commissions
24 of the state of Iowa, and corporations whose
25 primary function is to act as, and while acting as,
26 instrumentalities or agencies of the state of Iowa,
27 whether or not authorized to sue and be sued in
28 their own names. This definition does not include a
29 contractor with the state of Iowa. Soil and water
30 conservation districts as defined in section 161A.3,
31 subsection 6, and judicial district departments
32 of correctional services as established in section
33 905.2, ~~and library service area boards of trustees~~
34 ~~as established in chapter 256~~ are state agencies for
35 purposes of this chapter.

36 Sec. 65. Section 904.601, unnumbered paragraph 1,
37 Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

38 The director shall keep the following record of
39 every person committed to any of the department's
40 institutions: Name, residence, sex, age, place of
41 birth, occupation, civil condition, date of entrance
42 or commitment, date of discharge, whether a discharge
43 is final, condition of the person when discharged,
44 the name of the institutions from which and to which
45 the person has been transferred, and if the person
46 is dead, the date and cause of death. The director
47 may permit the division of ~~libraries and information~~
48 library services of the department of education and
49 the historical division of the department of cultural
50 affairs to copy or reproduce by any photographic,

1 photostatic, microfilm, microcard, or other process
2 which accurately reproduces in a durable medium and to
3 destroy in the manner described by law the records of
4 inmates required by this paragraph.

5 Sec. 66. REPEAL. Sections 256.60, 256.61, 256.66
6 through 256.68, Code 2011, are repealed.

7 Sec. 67. TRANSITION PROVISION. A governor's
8 appointee serving on the state commission of libraries
9 on the effective date of this Act shall continue
10 to serve as a member of the commission until the
11 appointee's term expires.

12 Sec. 68. LIBRARY SERVICE AREA EMPLOYEES — LENGTH
13 OF SERVICE — TRANSFER OF PERSONNEL RECORDS.

14 1. The length of service of a permanent employee
15 of a library service area who is employed by a library
16 service area on June 30, 2011, and who is hired by the
17 division of library services on or after July 1, 2011,
18 shall be prorated and credited as state employment
19 service for purposes of vacation and sick leave
20 accrual.

21 2. The area administrator of each library service
22 area shall submit to the division of library services
23 the personnel records of each permanent full-time
24 employee of the library service area by July 1, 2011.

25 Sec. 69. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT AND RETROACTIVE
26 APPLICABILITY. The section of this division of this
27 Act enacting section 256.52, subsection 3, paragraph
28 "b", subparagraph (4A), being deemed of immediate
29 importance, takes effect upon enactment, and if
30 approved by the governor on or after July 1, 2011,
31 shall apply retroactively to June 30, 2011.

32 DIVISION IV

33 PATHWAYS FOR ACADEMIC CAREER AND EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

34 Sec. 70. Section 260C.18A, subsection 2, Code 2011,
35 is amended by adding the following new paragraphs:

36 NEW PARAGRAPH. g. Development and implementation
37 of pathways for academic career and employment programs
38 under chapter 260H.

39 NEW PARAGRAPH. h. Development and implementation
40 of programs for the gap tuition assistance program
41 under chapter 260I.

42 NEW PARAGRAPH. i. Entrepreneurial education, small
43 business assistance, and business incubators.

44 Sec. 71. NEW SECTION. 260H.1 Title.

45 This chapter shall be known and may be cited as the
46 "*Pathways for Academic Career and Employment Act*".

47 Sec. 72. NEW SECTION. 260H.2 Pathways for academic
48 career and employment program.

49 A pathways for academic career and employment
50 program is established to provide funding to

1 community colleges for the development of projects
2 in coordination with the department of economic
3 development, the department of education, Iowa
4 workforce development, regional advisory boards
5 established pursuant to section 84A.4, and community
6 partners to implement a simplified, streamlined, and
7 comprehensive process, along with customized support
8 services, to enable eligible participants to acquire
9 effective academic and employment training to secure
10 gainful, quality, in-state employment.

11 Sec. 73. NEW SECTION. **260H.3 Eligibility criteria.**

12 1. Projects eligible for funding for the pathways
13 for academic career and employment program shall be
14 projects that further the ability of members of target
15 populations to secure gainful, quality employment.
16 For the purposes of this chapter, "*target population*"
17 includes:

18 a. Persons deemed low skilled for the purposes of
19 attaining gainful, quality, in-state employment.

20 b. Persons earning incomes at or below two hundred
21 percent of the federal poverty level as defined by
22 the most recently revised poverty income guidelines
23 published by the United States department of health and
24 human services.

25 c. Unemployed persons.

26 d. Underemployed persons.

27 e. Dislocated workers, including workers eligible
28 for services and benefits under the federal Trade
29 Adjustment Act of 2002, Pub. L. No. 107-210, as
30 determined by the department of workforce development
31 and the federal internal revenue service.

32 2. Projects eligible for funding for the pathways
33 for academic career and employment program shall
34 be projects that further partnerships that link
35 the community colleges to industry and nonprofit
36 organizations and projects that further program
37 outcomes as provided in section 260H.4.

38 Sec. 74. NEW SECTION. **260H.4 Program outcomes.**

39 Projects eligible for funding for the pathways
40 for academic career and employment program shall be
41 programs which further the following program outcomes:

42 1. Enabling the target populations to:

43 a. Acquire and demonstrate competency in basic
44 skills.

45 b. Acquire and demonstrate competency in a
46 specified technical field.

47 c. Complete a specified level of postsecondary
48 education.

49 d. Earn a national career readiness certificate.

50 e. Obtain employer-validated credentials.

1 f. Secure gainful employment in high-quality, local
2 jobs.
3 2. Satisfaction of economic and employment goals
4 including but not limited to:
5 a. Economic and workforce development requirements
6 in each region served by the community colleges
7 as defined by regional advisory boards established
8 pursuant to section 84A.4.
9 b. Needs of industry partners in areas including
10 but not limited to:
11 (1) Information technology.
12 (2) Health care.
13 (3) Advanced manufacturing.
14 (4) Transportation and logistics.
15 c. Any other industry designated as in-demand by a
16 regional advisory board established pursuant to section
17 84A.4.
18 Sec. 75. NEW SECTION. 260H.5 Program component
19 requirements.
20 Program components of a pathways for academic career
21 and employment project implemented at a community
22 college shall:
23 1. Include measurable and effective recruitment,
24 assessment, and referral activities designed for the
25 target populations.
26 2. Integrate basics skills and work-readiness
27 training with occupational skills training.
28 3. Combine customized supportive and case
29 management services with training services to help
30 participants overcome barriers to employment.
31 4. Provide training services at times, locations,
32 and through multiple, flexible modalities that are
33 easily understood and readily accessible to the
34 target populations. Such modalities shall support
35 timeless entry, individualized learning, and flexible
36 scheduling, and may include online remediation,
37 learning lab and cohort learning communities, tutoring,
38 and modularization.
39 Sec. 76. NEW SECTION. 260H.6 Pipeline program.
40 Each community college receiving funding for the
41 pathways for academic career and employment program
42 shall develop a pipeline program in order to better
43 serve the academic, training, and employment needs of
44 the target populations. A pipeline program shall have
45 the following goals:
46 1. To strengthen partnerships with community-based
47 organizations and industry representatives.
48 2. To improve and simplify the identification,
49 recruitment, and assessment of qualified participants.
50 3. To conduct and manage an outreach, recruitment,

1 and intake process, along with accompanying support
2 services, reflecting sensitivity to the time and
3 financial constraints and remediation needs of the
4 target populations.

5 4. To conduct orientations for qualified
6 participants to describe regional labor market
7 opportunities, employer partners, and program
8 requirements and expectations.

9 5. To describe the concepts of the project
10 implemented with funds from the pathways for academic
11 career and employment program and the embedded
12 educational and support resources available through
13 such project.

14 6. To outline the basic skills participants will
15 learn and describe the credentials participants will
16 earn.

17 7. To describe success milestones and ways in which
18 temporal and instructional barriers have been minimized
19 or eliminated.

20 8. To review how individualized and customized
21 service strategies for participants will be developed
22 and provided.

23 Sec. 77. NEW SECTION. 260H.7 Career pathways and
24 bridge curriculum development program.

25 Each community college receiving funding for the
26 pathways for academic career and employment program
27 shall develop a career pathways and bridge curriculum
28 development program in order to better serve the
29 academic, training, and employment needs of the target
30 populations. A career pathways and bridge curriculum
31 development program shall have the following goals:

32 1. The articulation of courses and modules, the
33 mapping of programs within career pathways, and
34 establishment of bridges between credit and noncredit
35 programs.

36 2. The integration and contextualization of
37 basic skills education and skills training. This
38 process shall provide for seamless progressions
39 between adult basic education and general education
40 development programs and continuing education and
41 credit certificate, diploma, and degree programs.

42 3. The development of career pathways that support
43 the attainment of industry-recognized credentials,
44 diplomas, and degrees through stackable, modularized
45 program delivery.

46 Sec. 78. NEW SECTION. 260H.8 Rules.

47 The department of education, in consultation with
48 the community colleges, the department of economic
49 development, and Iowa workforce development, shall
50 adopt rules pursuant to chapter 17A and this chapter

1 to implement the provisions of this chapter. Regional
2 advisory boards established pursuant to section
3 84A.4 shall be consulted in the development and
4 implementation of rules to be adopted pursuant to this
5 chapter.

6 Sec. 79. NEW SECTION. 260I.1 Title.

7 This chapter shall be known and may be cited as the
8 "*Gap Tuition Assistance Act*".

9 Sec. 80. NEW SECTION. 260I.2 Gap tuition
10 assistance program.

11 A gap tuition assistance program is established to
12 provide funding to community colleges for need-based
13 tuition assistance to applicants to enable completion
14 of continuing education certificate training programs
15 for in-demand occupations.

16 Sec. 81. NEW SECTION. 260I.3 Applicants for
17 tuition assistance — eligibility criteria.

18 1. The department of education, in consultation
19 with the department of economic development, shall
20 adopt rules pursuant to this chapter defining
21 eligibility criteria for persons applying to receive
22 tuition assistance under this chapter.

23 2. Eligibility for tuition assistance under this
24 chapter shall be based on financial need. Criteria to
25 be assessed in determining financial need shall include
26 but is not limited to:

27 a. The applicant's family income for the twelve
28 months prior to the date of application.

29 b. The applicant's family size.

30 c. The applicant's county of residence.

31 3. a. An applicant for tuition assistance under
32 this chapter must have a demonstrated capacity to
33 achieve the following outcomes:

34 (1) The ability to complete an eligible certificate
35 program.

36 (2) The ability to enter a postsecondary
37 certificate, diploma, or degree program for credit.

38 (3) The ability to gain full-time employment.

39 (4) The ability to maintain full-time employment
40 over time.

41 b. The community college receiving the application
42 shall only approve an applicant for tuition assistance
43 under this chapter if the community college determines
44 the applicant has a strong likelihood of achieving the
45 outcomes described in paragraph "a" after considering
46 factors including but not limited to:

47 (1) Barriers that may prevent an applicant from
48 completing the certificate program.

49 (2) Barriers that may prevent an applicant from
50 gaining employment in an in-demand occupation.

1 4. Applicants may be found eligible for partial or
2 total tuition assistance.

3 5. Tuition assistance shall not be approved when
4 the community college receiving the application
5 determines that funding for an applicant's
6 participation in an eligible certificate program is
7 available from any other public or private funding
8 source.

9 Sec. 82. NEW SECTION. 260I.4 Applicants for
10 tuition assistance — additional provisions.

11 1. An applicant for tuition assistance under
12 this chapter shall provide to the community college
13 receiving the application documentation of all sources
14 of income.

15 2. Only an applicant eligible to work in the United
16 States shall be approved for tuition assistance under
17 this chapter.

18 3. An application shall be valid for six months
19 from the date of signature on the application.

20 4. A person shall not be approved for tuition
21 assistance under this chapter for more than one
22 eligible certificate program.

23 5. Eligibility for tuition assistance under this
24 chapter shall not be construed to guarantee enrollment
25 in any community college certificate program.

26 6. Eligibility for tuition assistance under this
27 chapter shall be limited to persons earning incomes at
28 or below two hundred percent of the federal poverty
29 level as defined by the most recently revised poverty
30 income guidelines published by the United States
31 department of health and human services.

32 Sec. 83. NEW SECTION. 260I.5 Eligible costs.

33 Costs of a certificate program eligible for coverage
34 by tuition assistance shall include but are not limited
35 to:

36 1. Tuition.

37 2. Direct training costs.

38 3. Required books and equipment.

39 4. Fees including but not limited to fees for
40 industry testing services and background check testing
41 services.

42 Sec. 84. NEW SECTION. 260I.6 Eligible certificate
43 programs.

44 For the purposes of this chapter, "*eligible*
45 *certificate program*" means a program meeting all of the
46 following criteria:

47 1. The program is not offered for credit, but is
48 aligned with a certificate, diploma, or degree for
49 credit, and does any of the following:

50 a. Offers a state, national, or locally recognized

1 certificate.
2 *b.* Offers preparation for a professional
3 examination or licensure.
4 *c.* Provides endorsement for an existing credential
5 or license.
6 *d.* Represents recognized skill standards defined by
7 an industrial sector.
8 *e.* Offers a similar credential or training.
9 2. The program offers training or a credential in
10 an in-demand occupation. For the purposes of this
11 chapter, "*in-demand occupation*" includes occupations in
12 the following industries:
13 *a.* Information technology.
14 *b.* Health care.
15 *c.* Advanced manufacturing.
16 *d.* Transportation and logistics.
17 *e.* Any other industry designated as in-demand by a
18 regional advisory board established pursuant to section
19 84A.4.
20 Sec. 85. NEW SECTION. 260I.7 Initial assessment.
21 An applicant for tuition assistance under this
22 chapter shall complete an initial assessment
23 administered by the community college receiving the
24 application to determine the applicant's readiness
25 to complete an eligible certificate program. The
26 assessment shall include assessments for completion of
27 a national career readiness certificate, including the
28 areas of reading for information, applied mathematics,
29 and locating information. An applicant must achieve a
30 bronze-level certificate or the minimum score required
31 for an eligible certificate program, whichever is
32 higher, in order to be approved for tuition assistance.
33 An applicant shall complete any additional assessments
34 and occupational research required by an eligible
35 certificate program.
36 Sec. 86. NEW SECTION. 260I.8 Program interview.
37 An applicant for tuition assistance under this
38 chapter shall meet with a member of the staff for
39 an eligible certificate program offered by the
40 community college receiving the application. The
41 staff member shall discuss the relevant industry, any
42 applicable occupational research, and any applicable
43 training relating to the eligible certificate program.
44 The discussion shall include an evaluation of the
45 applicant's capabilities, needs, family situation,
46 work history, educational background, attitude and
47 motivation, employment skills, vocational potential,
48 and employment barriers. The discussion shall also
49 include potential start dates, support needs, and other
50 requirements for an eligible certificate program.

1 Sec. 87. NEW SECTION. 260I.9 Participation
2 requirements.

3 1. A participant in an eligible certificate program
4 who receives tuition assistance pursuant to this
5 chapter shall do all of the following:

6 a. Maintain regular contact with staff members for
7 the certificate program to document the applicant's
8 progress in the program.

9 b. Sign a release form to provide relevant
10 information to community college faculty or case
11 managers.

12 c. Discuss with staff members for the certificate
13 program any issues that may impact the participant's
14 ability to complete the certificate program, obtain
15 employment, and maintain employment over time.

16 d. Attend all required courses regularly.

17 e. Meet with staff members for the certificate
18 program to develop a job search plan.

19 2. A community college may terminate tuition
20 assistance for a participant who fails to meet the
21 requirements of this section.

22 Sec. 88. NEW SECTION. 260I.10 Oversight.

23 1. The department of education, in coordination
24 with the community colleges, shall establish a steering
25 committee. The steering committee shall determine if
26 the performance measures of the gap tuition assistance
27 program are being met and shall take necessary steps
28 to correct any deficiencies. The steering committee
29 shall meet at least quarterly to evaluate and monitor
30 the performance of the gap tuition assistance program.

31 2. The department of education, in coordination
32 with the community colleges, shall develop a common
33 intake tracking system that shall be implemented
34 consistently by each participating community college.

35 3. The department of education shall coordinate
36 statewide oversight, evaluation, and reporting efforts
37 for the gap tuition assistance program.

38 Sec. 89. NEW SECTION. 260I.11 Rules.

39 The department of education, in consultation
40 with the department of economic development and
41 the community colleges, shall adopt rules pursuant
42 to chapter 17A and this chapter to implement the
43 provisions of this chapter.

44 DIVISION V

45 ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTING SCHOOL BOARDS,
46 MEMBERS, AND ADMINISTRATORS

47 Sec. 90. Section 279.38, Code 2011, is amended by
48 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the
49 following:

50 **279.38 Membership in organizations — requirements.**

1 1. As used in this section:
2 a. "*Compensation*" means the same as defined in
3 section 8F.2, subsection 2.
4 b. "*Organization*" means a local, state, regional,
5 or national organization which relates to the functions
6 of the board of directors of a school district or to
7 the administrators of a school district and to which
8 a school board pays monetary fees for products or
9 services or annual dues in accordance with subsection
10 2. "*Organization*" includes a related for-profit or
11 not-for-profit subsidiary of an organization.
12 2. a. The board of directors of a school district,
13 the duly elected members of the school board, and
14 designated administrators of school districts may join
15 or participate in organizations, including but not
16 limited to organizations such as the Iowa association
17 of school boards, the urban education network, Iowa
18 school finance information services, and the school
19 administrators of Iowa. The school board may pay
20 out of funds available to the school board reasonable
21 monetary fees for products or services or annual
22 dues for membership of the school board, or a board
23 member or administrator, in such an organization.
24 Such an organization that receives fees or dues for
25 membership from a school board shall be considered a
26 taxpayer-funded organization.
27 b. Each school board that pays monetary fees or
28 annual dues to an organization shall annually report
29 to the local community and to the department of
30 education the amount paid in annual dues, fees, or
31 assessments for products or services received from
32 the organization, and the total amount of any revenue
33 or dividend payments received from the organization.
34 The information shall be submitted to the department
35 electronically in the format specified by the
36 department.
37 3. The financial condition and transactions
38 of an organization shall be audited as provided in
39 section 11.6. The organization shall establish an
40 audit committee to review the financial condition
41 and transactions of the organization and the report
42 of examination conducted in accordance with this
43 subsection. The auditor conducting an examination in
44 accordance with this subsection shall have full access
45 to the audit committee and to all of the organization's
46 records, reports, audits, tax reports, and all other
47 documents and papers issued or maintained by the
48 organization.
49 4. An organization shall do all of the following:
50 a. Publish annually on its internet site, and

1 in a report submitted annually to the department of
2 education, the standing committees on government
3 oversight, and the general assembly, all of the
4 following:

5 (1) A listing of the school districts that pay fees
6 or dues for membership in the organization and the
7 moneys paid by each school district.

8 (2) The total revenue the organization receives
9 from each school district resulting from the payment of
10 monetary fees or annual dues, and the total net profit
11 from the sale of products and services to the school
12 district by the organization.

13 (3) An accounting, broken down by individual
14 employee, of the total amount of moneys expended for
15 reimbursement of expenses incurred by and compensation
16 paid to each of the ten highest paid employees of the
17 organization as evidenced by the tax forms submitted by
18 the organization to the internal revenue service.

19 (4) An accounting of all moneys expended for
20 reimbursement of expenses incurred by and compensation
21 paid to all legislative representatives and lobbyists
22 of the organization.

23 b. Submit to the general assembly and the standing
24 committees on government oversight copies of all
25 reports the organization provides to the United States
26 department of education relating to federal grants and
27 grant amounts that the organization administers or
28 distributes to school districts.

29 c. Provide education and training to the
30 organization's board members in the fiduciary duties
31 and legal responsibilities of members.

32 5. An organization shall not pay an employee
33 or officer of the organization, a member of the
34 organization's governing board, or a legislative
35 representative or lobbyist for the organization, a
36 bonus or other consideration of any type which is
37 in addition to compensation paid and published and
38 reported as required by subsection 4. In addition, the
39 organization shall not allow any other entity to pay an
40 employee or officer of the organization, a member of
41 the organization's governing board, or a legislative
42 representative or lobbyist for the organization for
43 services performed on behalf of the organization.
44 However, the organization may pay an employee a
45 commission if the terms for paying the commission
46 are in writing under an agreement which is a public
47 document and the employee's compensation, which shall
48 list the amount of the commission, is published and
49 reported in the same manner as provided in subsection
50 4.

1 6. a. A person who serves as the head of an
2 organization or otherwise serves in a supervisory
3 capacity within the organization shall not require
4 an employee of the organization to inform the person
5 that the employee made a disclosure of information
6 permitted by this subsection and shall not prohibit
7 an employee of the organization from disclosing any
8 information to a member of the governing board or to
9 any public official, a law enforcement agency, a state
10 agency, the auditor of state or an auditor conducting
11 an examination of the organization in accordance with
12 section 11.6, the office of the attorney general, the
13 office of citizens' aide, or to a committee of the
14 general assembly if the employee reasonably believes
15 the information evidences a violation of law or rule,
16 mismanagement, a gross abuse of funds, an abuse of
17 authority, or a substantial and specific danger to
18 public health or safety. However, an employee may be
19 required to inform the person that the employee made a
20 disclosure of information permitted by this subsection
21 if the employee represented that the disclosure was
22 the official position of the employee's immediate
23 supervisor or employer.

24 b. A person shall not discharge an employee from
25 or take or fail to take action regarding an employee's
26 appointment or proposed appointment to, promotion or
27 proposed promotion to, or any advantage in, a position
28 administered by, or subject to approval of, the person
29 or the organization's governing board as a reprisal
30 for a failure by that employee to inform the person
31 that the employee made a disclosure of information
32 permitted by this subsection, or for a disclosure of
33 any information by that employee authorized under
34 paragraph "a" if the employee reasonably believes
35 the information evidences a violation of law or rule,
36 mismanagement, a gross abuse of funds, an abuse of
37 authority, or a substantial and specific danger to
38 public health or safety. However, an employee may be
39 required to inform the person that the employee made a
40 disclosure of information permitted by this subsection
41 if the employee represented that the disclosure was
42 the official position of the employee's immediate
43 supervisor or employer.

44 c. Paragraphs "a" and "b" do not apply if the
45 disclosure of the information is prohibited by statute.

46 d. A person who violates paragraph "a" or "b"
47 commits a simple misdemeanor.

48 e. Paragraph "b" may be enforced through a civil
49 action.

50 (1) A person who violates paragraph "b" is liable

1 to an aggrieved employee for affirmative relief
2 including reinstatement, with or without back pay, or
3 any other equitable relief the court deems appropriate,
4 including attorney fees and costs.

5 (2) When a person commits, is committing, or
6 proposes to commit an act in violation of paragraph
7 "b", an injunction may be granted through an action in
8 district court to prohibit the person from continuing
9 such acts. The action for injunctive relief may
10 be brought by an aggrieved employee or the attorney
11 general.

12 f. A person shall not discharge an employee from
13 or take or fail to take action regarding an employee's
14 appointment or proposed appointment to, promotion
15 or proposed promotion to, or any advantage in, a
16 position administered by, or subject to approval of,
17 the person or the organization's governing board as a
18 reprisal for the employee's declining to participate in
19 contributions or donations to charities or community
20 organizations.

21 g. The person and the organization's governing
22 board shall provide procedures for notifying the
23 organization's new employees of the provisions of this
24 subsection and shall periodically conduct promotional
25 campaigns to provide similar information to the
26 organization's employees. The information shall
27 include the toll-free telephone number of the citizens'
28 aide.

29 7. a. Except as otherwise provided in paragraph
30 "b", all meetings of the governing board of the
31 organization shall comply with the requirements of
32 chapter 21 and all records of the governing board and
33 the organization shall be maintained in accordance with
34 chapter 22.

35 b. The governing board of the organization may keep
36 the following records confidential and the governing
37 board may hold a closed session meeting to discuss the
38 following matters:

39 (1) Personal information in confidential personnel
40 records maintained by the governing board of the
41 organization and required or authorized to be kept
42 confidential by law.

43 (2) Discussions with, or the work product of, an
44 attorney of the governing board of the organization
45 required or authorized to be kept confidential by law.

46 (3) Pricing, product, service, business strategy,
47 or marketing information which if released, would give
48 an advantage to competitors, vendors, or other parties
49 and that serve no public purpose.

50 Sec. 91. REPEAL. Section 279.38A, Code 2011, is

1 repealed.

2 Sec. 92. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT AND RETROACTIVE
3 APPLICABILITY. This division of this Act, being deemed
4 of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment,
5 and if approved by the governor on or after July 1,
6 2011, shall apply retroactively to June 30, 2011.

7 DIVISION VI

8 SCHOOL EMPLOYEE MISCONDUCT

9 Sec. 93. Section 272.2, subsection 1, paragraph b,
10 Code 2011, is amended by striking the paragraph and
11 inserting in lieu thereof the following:

12 b. Provide annually to any person who holds a
13 license, certificate, authorization, or statement of
14 recognition issued by the board, training relating
15 to the knowledge and understanding of the board's
16 code of professional conduct and ethics. The board
17 shall develop a curriculum that addresses the code of
18 professional conduct and ethics and shall annually
19 provide regional training opportunities throughout the
20 state.

21 Sec. 94. Section 272.15, subsection 1, Code 2011,
22 is amended to read as follows:

23 1. a. The board of directors of a school district
24 or area education agency, the superintendent of a
25 school district or the chief administrator of an
26 area education agency, and the authorities in charge
27 of a nonpublic school shall report to the board the
28 nonrenewal or termination, for reasons of alleged or
29 actual misconduct, of a person's contract executed
30 under sections 279.12, 279.13, 279.15 through 279.21,
31 279.23, and 279.24, and the resignation of a person
32 who holds a license, certificate, or authorization
33 issued by the board as a result of or following an
34 incident or allegation of misconduct that, if proven,
35 would constitute a violation of the rules adopted by
36 the board to implement section 272.2, subsection 14,
37 paragraph "b", subparagraph (1), when the board or
38 reporting official has a good faith belief that the
39 incident occurred or the allegation is true. The
40 board may deny a license or revoke the license of an
41 administrator if the board finds by a preponderance
42 of the evidence that the administrator failed to
43 report the termination or resignation of a school
44 employee holding a license, certificate, statement of
45 professional recognition, or coaching authorization,
46 for reasons of alleged or actual misconduct, as defined
47 by this section.

48 b. Information reported to the board in accordance
49 with this section is privileged and confidential, and
50 except as provided in section 272.13, is not subject to

1 discovery, subpoena, or other means of legal compulsion
2 for its release to a person other than the respondent
3 and the board and its employees and agents involved in
4 licensee discipline, and is not admissible in evidence
5 in a judicial or administrative proceeding other
6 than the proceeding involving licensee discipline.
7 The board shall review the information reported to
8 determine whether a complaint should be initiated. In
9 making that determination, the board shall consider the
10 factors enumerated in section 272.2, subsection 14,
11 paragraph "a".

12 c. For purposes of this section, unless the context
13 otherwise requires, "misconduct" means an action
14 disqualifying an applicant for a license or causing
15 the license of a person to be revoked or suspended
16 in accordance with the rules adopted by the board to
17 implement section 272.2, subsection 14, paragraph "b",
18 subparagraph (1).

19 Sec. 95. Section 280.17, Code 2011, is amended to
20 read as follows:

21 **280.17 Procedures for handling child abuse reports.**

22 1. The board of directors of a public school
23 district and the authorities in ~~control~~ charge of
24 a nonpublic school shall prescribe procedures, in
25 accordance with the guidelines contained in the model
26 policy developed by the department of education in
27 consultation with the department of human services,
28 and adopted by the department of education pursuant
29 to chapter 17A, for the handling of reports of child
30 abuse, as defined in section 232.68, subsection 2,
31 paragraph "a", "c", or "e", alleged to have been
32 committed by an employee or agent of the public or
33 nonpublic school.

34 2. a. The board of directors of a school district
35 and the authorities in charge of an accredited
36 nonpublic school shall place on administrative leave a
37 school employee who is the subject of an investigation
38 of an alleged incident of abuse of a student conducted
39 in accordance with 281 IAC 102.

40 b. If the results of an investigation of abuse of
41 a student by a school employee who holds a license,
42 certificate, authorization, or statement of recognition
43 issued by the board of educational examiners finds
44 that the school employee's conduct constitutes a crime
45 under any other statute, the board or the authorities,
46 as appropriate, shall report the results of the
47 investigation to the board of educational examiners.

48 Sec. 96. Section 280.27, Code 2011, is amended to
49 read as follows:

50 **280.27 Reporting violence — immunity.**

1 An employee of a school district, an accredited
2 nonpublic school, or an area education agency who
3 participates in good faith and acts reasonably in
4 the making of a report to, or investigation by, an
5 appropriate person or agency regarding violence,
6 threats of violence, physical or sexual abuse of a
7 student, or other inappropriate activity against a
8 school employee or student in a school building, on
9 school grounds, or at a school-sponsored function shall
10 be immune from civil or criminal liability relating
11 to such action, as well as for participating in any
12 administrative or judicial proceeding resulting from or
13 relating to the report or investigation.

14 DIVISION VII

15 FY 2012-2013

16 DEPARTMENT FOR THE BLIND

17 Sec. 97. ADMINISTRATION. There is appropriated
18 from the general fund of the state to the department
19 for the blind for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
20 2012, and ending June 30, 2013, the following amount,
21 or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
22 purposes designated:

23 1. For salaries, support, maintenance,
24 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
25 following full-time equivalent positions:

26 \$ 845,908
27 FTEs 88.00

28 2. For costs associated with universal access to
29 audio information over the phone on demand for blind
30 and print handicapped Iowans:

31 \$ 25,000

32 COLLEGE STUDENT AID COMMISSION

33 Sec. 98. There is appropriated from the general
34 fund of the state to the college student aid commission
35 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and ending
36 June 30, 2013, the following amounts, or so much
37 thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
38 designated:

39 1. GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

40 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
41 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
42 equivalent positions:

43 \$ 116,472
44 FTEs 3.95

45 2. STUDENT AID PROGRAMS

46 For payments to students for the Iowa grant program
47 established in section 261.93:

48 \$ 395,589

49 3. DES MOINES UNIVERSITY — HEALTH CARE

50 PROFESSIONAL RECRUITMENT PROGRAM

1 For forgivable loans to Iowa students attending Des
 2 Moines university — osteopathic medical center under
 3 the forgivable loan program pursuant to section 261.19:
 4 \$ 162,987
 5 4. NATIONAL GUARD EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
 6 For purposes of providing national guard educational
 7 assistance under the program established in section
 8 261.86:
 9 \$ 1,593,117
 10 5. TEACHER SHORTAGE LOAN FORGIVENESS PROGRAM
 11 For the teacher shortage loan forgiveness program
 12 established in section 261.112:
 13 \$ 196,226
 14 6. ALL IOWA OPPORTUNITY FOSTER CARE GRANT PROGRAM
 15 For purposes of the all Iowa opportunity foster care
 16 grant program established pursuant to section 261.6:
 17 \$ 277,029
 18 7. ALL IOWA OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
 19 a. For purposes of the all Iowa opportunity
 20 scholarship program established pursuant to section
 21 261.87:
 22 \$ 1,120,427
 23 b. If the moneys appropriated by the general
 24 assembly to the college student aid commission for
 25 fiscal year 2012-2013 for purposes of the all Iowa
 26 opportunity scholarship program exceed \$500,000,
 27 "eligible institution" as defined in section 261.87,
 28 shall, during fiscal year 2012-2013, include accredited
 29 private institutions as defined in section 261.9,
 30 subsection 1.
 31 8. REGISTERED NURSE AND NURSE EDUCATOR LOAN
 32 FORGIVENESS PROGRAM
 33 a. For purposes of the registered nurse and nurse
 34 educator loan forgiveness program established pursuant
 35 to section 261.23:
 36 \$ 40,426
 37 b. It is the intent of the general assembly that
 38 the commission continue to consider moneys allocated
 39 pursuant to this subsection as moneys that meet the
 40 state matching funds requirements of the federal
 41 leveraging educational assistance program and the
 42 federal supplemental leveraging educational assistance
 43 program established under the Higher Education Act of
 44 1965, as amended.
 45 9. BARBER AND COSMETOLOGY ARTS AND SCIENCES TUITION
 46 GRANT PROGRAM
 47 For purposes of the barber and cosmetology arts and
 48 sciences tuition grant program established pursuant to
 49 section 261.18:
 50 \$ 18,469

1 Sec. 99. IOWA TUITION AND VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL
2 TUITION GRANT APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY
3 2012-2013. Notwithstanding the standing appropriations
4 in the following designated sections for the fiscal
5 year beginning July 1, 2012, and ending June 30, 2013,
6 the amounts appropriated from the general fund of the
7 state to the college student aid commission pursuant to
8 these sections for the following designated purposes
9 shall not exceed the following amounts:
10 1. For Iowa tuition grants under section 261.25,
11 subsection 1:
12 \$ 21,756,724
13 2. For tuition grants for students attending
14 for-profit accredited private institutions located in
15 Iowa under section 261.25, subsection 2:
16 \$ 2,000,000
17 3. For vocational-technical tuition grants under
18 section 261.25, subsection 3:
19 \$ 1,125,093
20 Sec. 100. CHIROPRACTIC LOAN FUNDS. Notwithstanding
21 section 261.72, the moneys deposited in the
22 chiropractic loan revolving fund created pursuant
23 to section 261.72 may be used for purposes of the
24 chiropractic loan forgiveness program established in
25 section 261.73.
26 Sec. 101. WORK-STUDY APPROPRIATION FOR FY
27 2012-2013. Notwithstanding section 261.85, for the
28 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and ending June 30,
29 2013, the amount appropriated from the general fund of
30 the state to the college student aid commission for the
31 work-study program under section 261.85 shall be zero.
32 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
33 Sec. 102. There is appropriated from the general
34 fund of the state to the department of education for
35 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and ending June
36 30, 2013, the following amounts, or so much thereof as
37 is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:
38 1. GENERAL ADMINISTRATION
39 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
40 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
41 equivalent positions:
42 \$ 2,956,906
43 FTEs 81.67
44 2. VOCATIONAL EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION
45 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
46 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
47 equivalent positions:
48 \$ 224,638
49 FTEs 11.50
50 3. VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION SERVICES DIVISION

1 a. For salaries, support, maintenance,
 2 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
 3 following full-time equivalent positions:
 4 \$ 2,481,584
 5 FTEs 255.00
 6 b. For matching funds for programs to enable
 7 persons with severe physical or mental disabilities to
 8 function more independently, including salaries and
 9 support, and for not more than the following full-time
 10 equivalent position:
 11 \$ 19,564
 12 FTEs 1.00
 13 c. For the entrepreneurs with disabilities program
 14 established pursuant to section 259.4, subsection 9:
 15 \$ 72,768
 16 d. For costs associated with centers for
 17 independent living:
 18 \$ 20,147
 19 4. STATE LIBRARY
 20 a. For salaries, support, maintenance,
 21 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
 22 following full-time equivalent positions:
 23 \$ 604,810
 24 FTEs 17.00
 25 b. For the enrich Iowa program established under
 26 section 256.57:
 27 \$ 837,114
 28 5. LIBRARY SERVICE AREA SYSTEM
 29 For state aid:
 30 \$ 502,722
 31 6. PUBLIC BROADCASTING DIVISION
 32 For salaries, support, maintenance, capital
 33 expenditures, miscellaneous purposes, and for not more
 34 than the following full-time equivalent positions:
 35 \$ 3,327,011
 36 FTEs 82.00
 37 7. REGIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COUNCILS
 38 For state aid:
 39 \$ 496,457
 40 The regional telecommunications councils established
 41 in section 8D.5 shall use the moneys appropriated in
 42 this subsection to provide technical assistance for
 43 network classrooms, planning and troubleshooting for
 44 local area networks, scheduling of video sites, and
 45 other related support activities.
 46 8. VOCATIONAL EDUCATION TO SECONDARY SCHOOLS
 47 For reimbursement for vocational education
 48 expenditures made by secondary schools:
 49 \$ 1,315,067
 50 Moneys appropriated in this subsection shall be used

1 to reimburse school districts for vocational education
2 expenditures made by secondary schools to meet the
3 standards set in sections 256.11, 258.4, and 260C.14.

4 9. SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE

5 For use as state matching funds for federal
6 programs that shall be disbursed according to federal
7 regulations, including salaries, support, maintenance,
8 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
9 following full-time equivalent positions:

10 \$ 1,088,399
11 FTEs 20.58

12 10. EARLY CHILDHOOD IOWA FUND — GENERAL AID

13 For deposit in the school ready children grants
14 account of the early childhood Iowa fund created in
15 section 256I.11:

16 \$ 2,693,057

17 a. From the moneys deposited in the school ready
18 children grants account for the fiscal year beginning
19 July 1, 2012, and ending June 30, 2013, not more than
20 \$265,950 is allocated for the early childhood Iowa
21 office and other technical assistance activities. The
22 early childhood Iowa state board shall direct staff to
23 work with the early childhood stakeholders alliance
24 created in section 256I.12 to inventory technical
25 assistance needs. Moneys allocated under this lettered
26 paragraph may be used by the early childhood Iowa state
27 board for the purpose of skills development and support
28 for ongoing training of staff. However, except as
29 otherwise provided in this subsection, moneys shall not
30 be used for additional staff or for the reimbursement
31 of staff.

32 b. As a condition of receiving moneys appropriated
33 in this subsection, each early childhood Iowa area
34 board shall report to the early childhood Iowa state
35 board progress on each of the local indicators approved
36 by the area board. Each early childhood Iowa area
37 board must also submit an annual budget for the area's
38 comprehensive school ready children grant developed for
39 providing services for children from birth through five
40 years of age, and provide other information specified
41 by the early childhood Iowa state board, including
42 budget amendments as needed. The early childhood Iowa
43 state board shall establish a submission deadline for
44 the annual budget and any budget amendments that allow
45 a reasonable period of time for preparation by the
46 early childhood Iowa area boards and for review and
47 approval or request for modification of the materials
48 by the early childhood Iowa state board. In addition,
49 each early childhood Iowa area board must continue to
50 comply with reporting provisions and other requirements

1 adopted by the early childhood Iowa state board in
2 implementing section 256I.9.

3 c. Of the amount appropriated in this subsection
4 for deposit in the school ready children grants account
5 of the early childhood Iowa fund, \$2,318,018 shall
6 be used for efforts to improve the quality of early
7 care, health, and education programs. Moneys allocated
8 pursuant to this paragraph may be used for additional
9 staff and for the reimbursement of staff. The early
10 childhood Iowa state board may reserve a portion of the
11 allocation, not to exceed \$88,650, for the technical
12 assistance expenses of the early childhood Iowa state
13 office, including the reimbursement of staff, and
14 shall distribute the remainder to early childhood Iowa
15 areas for local quality improvement efforts through
16 a methodology identified by the early childhood Iowa
17 state board to make the most productive use of the
18 funding, which may include use of the distribution
19 formula, grants, or other means.

20 d. Of the amount appropriated in this subsection
21 for deposit in the school ready children grants account
22 of the early childhood Iowa fund, \$825,030 shall
23 be used for support of professional development and
24 training activities for persons working in early care,
25 health, and education by the early childhood Iowa
26 state board in collaboration with the professional
27 development component group of the early childhood
28 Iowa stakeholders alliance maintained pursuant to
29 section 256I.12, subsection 7, paragraph "b", and the
30 early childhood Iowa area boards. Expenditures shall
31 be limited to professional development and training
32 activities agreed upon by the parties participating in
33 the collaboration.

34 11. EARLY CHILDHOOD IOWA FUND — PRESCHOOL TUITION
35 ASSISTANCE

36 a. For deposit in the school ready children grants
37 account of the early childhood Iowa fund created in
38 section 256I.11:

39 \$ 2,714,439

40 b. The amount appropriated in this subsection shall
41 be used for early care, health, and education programs
42 to assist low-income parents with tuition for preschool
43 and other supportive services for children ages three,
44 four, and five who are not attending kindergarten in
45 order to increase the basic family income eligibility
46 requirement to not more than 200 percent of the federal
47 poverty level. In addition, if sufficient funding is
48 available after addressing the needs of those who meet
49 the basic income eligibility requirement, an early
50 childhood Iowa area board may provide for eligibility

1 for those with a family income in excess of the basic
2 income eligibility requirement through use of a sliding
3 scale or other copayment provisions.

4 12. EARLY CHILDHOOD IOWA FUND — FAMILY SUPPORT AND
5 PARENT EDUCATION

6 a. For deposit in the school ready children grants
7 account of the early childhood Iowa fund created in
8 section 256I.11:

9 \$ 6,182,217

10 b. The amount appropriated in this subsection
11 shall be used for family support services and parent
12 education programs targeted to families expecting a
13 child or with newborn and infant children through age
14 five and shall be distributed using the distribution
15 formula approved by the early childhood Iowa state
16 board and shall be used by an early childhood Iowa
17 area board only for family support services and parent
18 education programs targeted to families expecting a
19 child or with newborn and infant children through age
20 five.

21 13. BIRTH TO AGE THREE SERVICES

22 For expansion of the federal Individuals with
23 Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004, Pub.
24 L. No. 108-446, as amended to January 1, 2012, birth
25 through age three services due to increased numbers of
26 children qualifying for those services:

27 \$ 860,700

28 From the moneys appropriated in this subsection,
29 \$383,769 shall be allocated to the child health
30 specialty clinic at the state university of Iowa to
31 provide additional support for infants and toddlers
32 who are born prematurely, drug-exposed, or medically
33 fragile.

34 14. TEXTBOOKS OF NONPUBLIC SCHOOL PUPILS

35 To provide moneys for costs of providing textbooks
36 to each resident pupil who attends a nonpublic school
37 as authorized by section 301.1:

38 \$ 280,107

39 Funding under this subsection is limited to \$20 per
40 pupil and shall not exceed the comparable services
41 offered to resident public school pupils.

42 15. CORE CURRICULUM AND CAREER INFORMATION AND
43 DECISION-MAKING SYSTEM

44 For purposes of implementing the statewide core
45 curriculum for school districts and accredited
46 nonpublic schools and a state-designated career
47 information and decision-making system:

48 \$ 500,000

49 16. STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AND TEACHER QUALITY PROGRAM

50 For purposes of the student achievement and teacher

1 quality program established pursuant to chapter
2 284, and for not more than the following full-time
3 equivalent positions:

4 \$ 2,392,500
5 FTEs 2.00

6 17. JOBS FOR AMERICA'S GRADUATES
7 For school districts to provide direct services to
8 the most at-risk senior high school students enrolled
9 in school districts through direct intervention by a
10 jobs for America's graduates specialist:

11 \$ 20,000

12 18. COMMUNITY COLLEGES
13 a. For general state financial aid to merged
14 areas as defined in section 260C.2 in accordance with
15 chapters 258 and 260C:

16 \$ 81,887,324

17 The funds appropriated in this subsection shall
18 be allocated pursuant to the formula established in
19 section 206C.18C.

20 b. For distribution to community colleges to
21 supplement faculty salaries:

22 \$ 250,000

23 c. For deposit in the workforce training and
24 economic development funds created pursuant to section
25 260C.18A:

26 \$ 2,500,000

27 STATE BOARD OF REGENTS
28 Sec. 103. There is appropriated from the general
29 fund of the state to the state board of regents for the
30 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and ending June 30,
31 2013, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is
32 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

33 1. OFFICE OF STATE BOARD OF REGENTS
34 a. For salaries, support, maintenance,
35 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
36 following full-time equivalent positions:

37 \$ 532,503
38 FTEs 15.00

39 The state board of regents shall submit a monthly
40 financial report in a format agreed upon by the state
41 board of regents office and the legislative services
42 agency.

43 b. For moneys to be allocated to the southwest Iowa
44 graduate studies center:

45 \$ 43,736

46 c. For moneys to be allocated to the siouxland
47 interstate metropolitan planning council for the
48 tristate graduate center under section 262.9,
49 subsection 22:

50 \$ 33,301

1 d. For moneys to be allocated to the quad-cities
 2 graduate studies center:
 3 \$ 64,888
 4 e. For moneys to be distributed to Iowa public
 5 radio for public radio operations:
 6 \$ 195,784
 7 2. STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA
 8 a. General university, including lakeside
 9 laboratory
 10 For salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
 11 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
 12 following full-time equivalent positions:
 13 \$104,868,656
 14 FTEs 5,058.55
 15 b. Oakdale campus
 16 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
 17 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
 18 equivalent positions:
 19 \$ 1,093,279
 20 FTEs 38.25
 21 c. State hygienic laboratory
 22 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
 23 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
 24 equivalent positions:
 25 \$ 1,768,358
 26 FTEs 102.50
 27 d. Family practice program
 28 For allocation by the dean of the college of
 29 medicine, with approval of the advisory board, to
 30 qualified participants to carry out the provisions
 31 of chapter 148D for the family practice program,
 32 including salaries and support, and for not more than
 33 the following full-time equivalent positions:
 34 \$ 894,133
 35 FTEs 190.40
 36 e. Child health care services
 37 For specialized child health care services,
 38 including childhood cancer diagnostic and treatment
 39 network programs, rural comprehensive care for
 40 hemophilia patients, and the Iowa high-risk infant
 41 follow-up program, including salaries and support, and
 42 for not more than the following full-time equivalent
 43 positions:
 44 \$ 329,728
 45 FTEs 57.97
 46 f. Statewide cancer registry
 47 For the statewide cancer registry, and for not more
 48 than the following full-time equivalent positions:
 49 \$ 74,526
 50 FTEs 2.10

1 g. Substance abuse consortium
 2 For moneys to be allocated to the Iowa consortium
 3 for substance abuse research and evaluation, and
 4 for not more than the following full-time equivalent
 5 position:
 6 \$ 27,765
 7 FTEs 1.00
 8 h. Center for biocatalysis
 9 For the center for biocatalysis, and for not more
 10 than the following full-time equivalent positions:
 11 \$ 361,864
 12 FTEs 6.28
 13 i. Primary health care initiative
 14 For the primary health care initiative in the
 15 college of medicine, and for not more than the
 16 following full-time equivalent positions:
 17 \$ 324,465
 18 FTEs 5.89
 19 From the moneys appropriated in this lettered
 20 paragraph, \$254,889 shall be allocated to the
 21 department of family practice at the state university
 22 of Iowa college of medicine for family practice faculty
 23 and support staff.
 24 j. Birth defects registry
 25 For the birth defects registry, and for not more
 26 than the following full-time equivalent position:
 27 \$ 19,144
 28 FTEs 1.00
 29 k. Larned A. Waterman Iowa nonprofit resource
 30 center
 31 For the Larned A. Waterman Iowa nonprofit resource
 32 center, and for not more than the following full-time
 33 equivalent positions:
 34 \$ 81,270
 35 FTEs 2.75
 36 l. Iowa online advanced placement academy science,
 37 technology, engineering, and mathematics initiative
 38 For the establishment of the Iowa online advanced
 39 placement academy science, technology, engineering, and
 40 mathematics initiative:
 41 \$ 240,925
 42 3. IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
 43 a. General university
 44 For salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
 45 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
 46 following full-time equivalent positions:
 47 \$ 82,172,599
 48 FTEs 3,647.42
 49 b. Agricultural experiment station
 50 For the agricultural experiment station salaries,

1 support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes, and
2 for not more than the following full-time equivalent
3 positions:

4	\$ 14,055,939
5	FTEs 546.98

6 c. Cooperative extension service in agriculture and
7 home economics

8 For the cooperative extension service in agriculture
9 and home economics salaries, support, maintenance,
10 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
11 following full-time equivalent positions:

12	\$ 8,968,361
13	FTEs 383.34

14 d. Leopold center

15 For agricultural research grants at Iowa state
16 university of science and technology under section
17 266.39B, and for not more than the following full-time
18 equivalent positions:

19	\$ 198,709
20	FTEs 11.25

21 e. Livestock disease research

22 For deposit in and the use of the livestock disease
23 research fund under section 267.8:

24	\$ 86,423
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25 4. UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA

26 a. General university

27 For salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
28 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the
29 following full-time equivalent positions:

30	\$ 37,367,293
31	FTEs 1,447.50

32 b. Recycling and reuse center

33 For purposes of the recycling and reuse center, and
34 for not more than the following full-time equivalent
35 positions:

36	\$ 87,628
37	FTEs 3.00

38 c. Science, technology, engineering, and
39 mathematics (STEM) collaborative initiative

40 For purposes of establishing a science, technology,
41 engineering, and mathematics (STEM) collaborative
42 initiative, and for not more than the following
43 full-time equivalent positions:

44	\$ 867,328
45	FTEs 6.20

46 (1) From the moneys appropriated in this lettered
47 paragraph, up to \$282,000 shall be allocated for
48 salaries, staffing, and institutional support. The
49 remainder of the moneys appropriated in this lettered
50 paragraph shall be expended only to support activities

1 directly related to recruitment of kindergarten
2 through grade 12 mathematics and science teachers and
3 for ongoing mathematics and science programming for
4 students enrolled in kindergarten through grade 12.

5 (2) The university of northern Iowa shall work with
6 the community colleges to develop STEM professional
7 development programs for community college instructors
8 and STEM curriculum development.

9 d. Real estate education program
10 For purposes of the real estate education program,
11 and for not more than the following full-time
12 equivalent position:

13	\$	62,651
14	FTEs	1.00

15 5. STATE SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF
16 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
17 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
18 equivalent positions:

19	\$	4,339,982
20	FTEs	126.60

21 6. IOWA BRAILLE AND SIGHT SAVING SCHOOL
22 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
23 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
24 equivalent positions:

25	\$	1,809,466
26	FTEs	62.87

27 7. TUITION AND TRANSPORTATION COSTS
28 For payment to local school boards for the tuition
29 and transportation costs of students residing in the
30 Iowa braille and sight saving school and the state
31 school for the deaf pursuant to section 262.43 and
32 for payment of certain clothing, prescription, and
33 transportation costs for students at these schools
34 pursuant to section 270.5:

35	\$	5,882
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36 8. LICENSED CLASSROOM TEACHERS
37 For distribution at the Iowa braille and sight
38 saving school and the Iowa school for the deaf based
39 upon the average yearly enrollment at each school as
40 determined by the state board of regents:

41	\$	41,025
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42 Sec. 104. ENERGY COST-SAVINGS PROJECTS —
43 FINANCING. For the fiscal year beginning July 1,
44 2012, and ending June 30, 2013, the state board of
45 regents may use notes, bonds, or other evidences of
46 indebtedness issued under section 262.48 to finance
47 projects that will result in energy cost savings in an
48 amount that will cause the state board to recover the
49 cost of the projects within an average of six years.

50 Sec. 105. PRESCRIPTION DRUG COSTS. Notwithstanding

1 section 270.7, the department of administrative
2 services shall pay the state school for the deaf and
3 the Iowa braille and sight saving school the moneys
4 collected from the counties during the fiscal year
5 beginning July 1, 2012, for expenses relating to
6 prescription drug costs for students attending the
7 state school for the deaf and the Iowa braille and
8 sight saving school.

9 DIVISION VIII

10 CONDITIONAL EFFECTIVE DATE AND RETROACTIVE

11 APPLICABILITY

12 Sec. 106. EFFECTIVE DATE AND RETROACTIVE
13 APPLICABILITY. Unless otherwise provided, this Act,
14 if approved by the governor on or after July 1, 2011,
15 takes effect upon enactment and applies retroactively
16 to July 1, 2011.>

17 2. By renumbering as necessary.